

# COL. ROOSEVELT DEAD

His Wife Found Him Dead in Bed at 4.15 O'Clock This Morning

Death Believed Due to Rheumatism, Which Affected His Heart

Telegrams of Condolences and Sympathy Pour In From All Parts of World



OSTEER HAY, U. S. Jan. 6.—Theodore Roosevelt, for seven years president of the United States, died at his home at Sagamore Hill at 4.15 o'clock this morning.

The famous American, exponent of the "strenuous life" who had fought in the Spanish-American war, and risked death in hunting big game and exploring the jungles of Africa and South America, passed away peacefully while asleep, the victim of a blood clot in the lung, resulting from inflammatory rheumatism traceable to a diseased tooth from which he suffered 20 years.

He suffered a severe attack of rheumatism and again on New Year's day, but none believed that his illness would likely prove fatal. He sat up most of Sunday, and retired at 11 o'clock last night. About 4 a. m. Mrs. Roosevelt, who was the only other member of the family at Oyster Bay, went to his room and found that he had died during the night.

Mrs. Roosevelt telephoned to Col. Edwin Roosevelt, cousin of the former president, and he came to the Roosevelt home immediately. Telegrams were despatched to the colonel's children, who were in other parts of the country and abroad. Two of his sons, Major Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., and Captain Kermit Roosevelt, Jr., in service abroad. Captain Archie Roosevelt and his wife left New York last night for Boston, where the captain's father-in-law is ill. Mrs. Ethel Derby and her two children were in Alton, S. C.

Messages of Condolence Pour In

Telegrams of condolences and sympathy began to pour in from all parts of the country today as soon as the news of Col. Roosevelt's death became known.

The former president came to his home on Sagamore Hill from the Roosevelt hospital of Christmas day, but a week later was stricken with a severe attack of rheumatism and sciatica from which he had been suffering for some time. The rheumatism affected his right hand, and it became swollen. He remained in his room and efforts were made to check the trouble. Last Saturday his secretary, Miss Josephine Stricker, called to see him, but he was asleep in his room.

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## THE GERMAN ARMY HAS CEASED TO EXIST

BASLE, Jan. 5.—The German army has ceased to exist, says the Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung of Berlin, as 150 divisions already have been demobilized. The demobilization of the other units, the paper says, is proceeding rapidly.

NO ICE CUTTING YET

The Gage Co. is not cutting ice, simply because there is no ice to cut, but it expects to get busy within a few weeks if the present weather conditions continue. For the ice on the ponds now measures between 5 and 7 inches. Miss Martina Gage, manager of the company, stated this morning that as soon as the ice on the ponds measures about 12 inches, a force of men will be put to work cutting and storing it.

The river above the dam is frozen clear across, but the ice does not measure more than one inch or one inch and a half. Ice cutting on the Merrimack will not start until the river is frozen at least 10 inches. The company still has a good supply of ice on hand and at present it is supplying the city with ice taken from the South Chelmsford houses.

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# THRONGS GREET PRES. WILSON

Crowds Fight to Get Near President at Genoa—Many Tried to Kiss Him

Lays Wreath at Base of Columbus Statue—Speaks in Heavy Rain Storm

MILAN, Sunday, Jan. 5.—(By the Associated Press)—President Wilson journeyed from Rome to Milan today, stopping at Genoa, en route. There he was greeted by hundreds of thousands of the common people, who acclaimed him in the most extravagant terms, fought and scrambled to be near enough to touch him and even attempted to kiss his hand or clothing as he passed through the dense crowds surging and buffeting about him.

His visit of three hours in Genoa was marred by a tropical downpour of rain which drenched him and all of his party. The streets ran rivers and a gale snapped the flagpoles. Decorations along the streets were soaked and torn and slipped in the wind. Nevertheless, the president carried out his full program, including a visit to the monuments of Columbus and Mazzini and the city hall, where he was given a reception.

Whatever arrangements might have been made to receive the president were dissolved on his arrival, with the city being lashed by the blinding rain squalls. All the members of the official party except President and Mrs. Wilson were compelled to scramble for themselves through the flooded streets and make the best way possible back to the official train. The secret service men, seeking to protect the president, rejected motor cars and carriages which were provided by the local committee, but managed to get through the program and back to the train without mishap.

Lays Wreath at Columbus Statue

Before leaving Genoa, President Wilson laid a wreath at the base of the statue of Columbus and, standing barricaded in the driving rain, made a short address.

Columbus, he said, did a service for the world in discovering America and now it was America's pleasure and pride to show it was in the service of mankind.

"Being free," he said, "America desires to show others how they may also share in the freedom of the world."

Big Demonstration at Milan

The demonstration here was of the same character as that in Genoa but proportionately greater. In view of Milan's greater size, it seemed as if all the inhabitants and the people of the surrounding countryside had jammed themselves into the squares and streets along the line of march. The thoroughfares were choked with humanity and the president's motor car was forced to crawl and edge its way through with the greatest difficulty and in constant danger of running the citizens down.

The balconies, the roofs and every vantage point were black with people, and the route had been plastered with posters and pictures of President Wilson, with quotations from his speeches which could be particularly applied to Italy's position.

Never Saw Such Crowds

The president called at the city hall, where the freedom of the city was bestowed upon him. He then proceeded to the royal palace where he received delegations, going thence to La Scala, where he dined and where it was hoped he would attend the opera. While he was at the palace, the great square before the cathedral was so jammed that the cathedral had to be closed. The American secret service men declared they had never taken any president through such scenes of demonstration or through such great crowds. While the throngs were orderly they seemed simply wild with enthusiasm and determined to crowd near to the president.

The tour about the city which the presidential party went through with was to the accompaniment of virtually continuous roar of "vivas" every individual seeming to shout greetings.

It was evident that the president was much fatigued by the strain, despite his enjoyment of the spectacle.

# REJECT POLISH ULTIMATUM

Germans Refuse to Surrender Bentschen—To Defend Town at All Costs

The Capture of Bentschen Would Be Most Serious for Berlin

BERLIN, Sunday, Jan. 5.—(By the Associated Press)—Polish troops have occupied the railway station at Chroschnik, four miles from Bentschen, and have sent an ultimatum to the German commander in Bentschen, demanding that he surrender. The demand has been refused, and the Germans will defend the town at all costs, according to the Tagblatt.

(Bentschen is near the boundary between the provinces of Posen and Brandenburg, and is about 43 miles southwest of Posen).

Capture of Bentschen by the Poles would be more serious for Berlin and all of northern Germany. It would cut communications between Berlin and Silesia and would endanger the provisions of Frankfurt on the Oder and all of northern Germany. The cabinet completed its consideration of the Polish situation today and directed the ministry of war to take the necessary technical steps to strengthen the eastern frontiers. When preparations have been completed, which will probably be next week, the cabinet will probably appeal to the people to form a volunteer army to protect the German borders.

## LOWELL'S COAL SUPPLY IS FAIRLY GOOD

The coal situation in Lowell is not bad. Of course there is not what one could term plenty of coal, but according to Secretary Ira M. Boothby of the local fuel committee there is enough of the fuel on hand to prevent hardships and there is more coming. When seen by a Sun reporter today Mr. Boothby was not prepared to give an estimate of just how much coal there is in the city, for he is now receiving the monthly reports of the coal dealers as to the deliveries during the past month and the amount of fuel on hand. The figures will not be available for at least three or four days.

Lowell did not and will not receive its full quota of coal, but that does not matter much, for the warm spell in November and December has helped a great deal in the saving of fuel, while the rule to the effect that only two-thirds of the orders of coal be delivered has also helped materially in the saving. In many instances, so it was learned, housekeepers who only received two-thirds of their order of coal have managed to save some of it, due in great measure to the fact that they have not had any very cold weather. There is plenty of coal of the broken and egg variety, but that can only be utilized in heating plants. There is also a good supply of soft coal on hand, although many of the large buildings of the city are using it for heating purposes.

Appropos of soft coal there was a rather humorous incident at the office of the coal committee at 117 Merrimack street this morning. Conscious in the office is a large sign bearing the following inscription: "Save hard coal, burn soft coal; this building is heated with soft coal." When the Sun reporter called the place was very cold. The radiators were cold, too. In one corner of the room Mr. Boothby was very busy endeavoring to get an oil heater going while in other portions of the building, clerks had their coats on and they were trying to keep warm around oil heaters. When questioned Mr. Boothby stated that the frosty condition of the place was not due to the fact that the building was being heated with soft coal, but simply to the fact that the fires were allowed to go out yesterday and that the firemen were having the time of their lives to raise steam.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that reaches the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this field in Lowell.

# Two New Aldermen Sworn Into Office at City Hall

Exercises of Inauguration Brief—New Order of Assignments Transfers Morse From Streets to Fire and Water Department—Murphy Gets Streets and Marchand Public Property Department

Dennis A. Murphy and George E. Marchand were inaugurated as aldermen in the Lowell city government shortly after 10 o'clock this morning in the aldermanic chamber at city hall. City Clerk Stephen Flynn administered the oath of office and immediately the council organized for 1919. The first business taken up was the assignment of the commissioners to departments and the results were as follows:

Dennis A. Murphy, commissioner of streets and highways.

Charles J. Morse, commissioner of water works and fire protection.

George E. Marchand, commissioner of public property.

James E. Donnelly, commissioner of finance.

Mayor Perry D. Thompson, commissioner of public safety.

Simple Exercises

Today's inaugural exercises were the most simple in years, according to those who have followed the annual event year after year. The fact that the mayor was not to be inaugurated detracted somewhat from the elaboration that is usually in evidence on such occasions. There was a comparatively small gathering in the chamber when Mayor Thompson called the council to order at 10.04.

Just previously, the members of the new council filed into the chamber and took their places at the table. After the mayor had called to order City Clerk Flynn called the roll of the new body for the first time.

The mayor requested Clerk Flynn to administer the oath of office to Messrs. Marchand and Murphy and then the Honorable moved that the council proceed to the assignment of departments.

The department of finance was the first to be voted upon. Commissioner James E. Donnelly was unanimously re-elected as commissioner of finance.

The department of streets and highways was next voted on. Messrs. Donnelly, Marchand, Morse and Murphy voted for Dennis A. Murphy. Mayor Thompson voted for Mr. Morse. Mr. Morse was declared elected commissioner of streets and highways for 1919.

The department of water works and fire protection was next taken up. Mayor Thompson voted for Commissioner Murphy and the other four members of the council for Mr. Morse. Mr. Morse was accordingly elected commissioner of the department for the ensuing year.

George E. Marchand was unanimously elected commissioner of public property and licenses. Mayor Thompson, of course, by virtue of his office was assigned to the department of public safety.

Marchand Elected President

The council then proceeded to the election of a president and Commissioner George E. Marchand was unanimously elected.

Mayor Thompson's Address

Mayor Thompson then delivered the

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## BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DISPATCHES

GENOA, Sunday, Jan. 5.—In his speech here today in front of the statue of Columbus, President Wilson characterized Genoa as a sanctuary for America.

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES ON THE DVINA FRONT, Sunday, Jan. 5.—(By the Associated Press)—Below zero weather descended today on this front, with the American forces still holding the territory gained in last week's offensive when the village of Kadisch was recaptured.

AYER, Jan. 5.—"Capt." Otto Chapman, arrested at a local hotel a fortnight ago and held by army authorities on several charges, including impersonating an officer and desertion, escaped from Camp Devens today.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for the condition of all national banks at the close of business on Tuesday, Dec. 31.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Col. Roosevelt suffered a pulmonary embolism which nearly cost him his life three weeks before he left Roosevelt hospital on Christmas day, it was learned today. Nothing regarding this approach to death has hitherto become known, but it was revealed today by Dr. Richards in telling of the colonel's exact condition during his last illness.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Both houses of congress adjourned today as a mark of respect after adopting resolutions of respect at the death of Col. Roosevelt and providing for the appointment of committees to attend the funeral.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—The U. S. North Carolina, the first battleship to be used for transporting returning troops, has arrived from Brest, carrying 69 officers and 1319 enlisted men of the army and marine corps.

PARIS, Jan. 5.—The attitude of the United States toward the treaty between Italy and France, Great Britain and Russia, relative to the eastern coast of the Adriatic, has not been clearly defined, as far as known.

## 100 YANKEE SOLDIERS LOST SIGHT IN WAR

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6.—Only about 100 soldiers of the American expeditionary forces in France have been made blind during the war, according to Major William T. Shoenmaker, who was in charge of the eye departments in all the American hospitals in England. He recently returned to his home in this city after 15 months' service overseas.

## PERMANENT ENROLLING AGENT

James M. Sullivan of Jiggitt's drug store in Merrimack street, who was special enrolling agent for the United States merchant marine during the war, has been appointed permanent enrolling agent for the United States shipping board pending service by Henry Howard, its director.

## TUORILAINEN HELD IN MURDER CHARGE

ROCKLAND, Me., Jan. 6.—By means of strategy, Ollie Tuorilainen, arrested at Riley, Saturday night in connection with the murder of Mrs. Harry E. Brown, was brought here today and landed safely in the county jail without being seen by a large crowd, which had gathered at the railroad station to meet the early afternoon train.

State Detective Napoleon Roy, who brought Tuorilainen from Riley, spending the night at Rockland, was met at Thomaston by Sheriff J. C. Hobbs and they came here by automobile, the prisoner being taken into the jail through a rear entrance.

Although Tuorilainen apparently had established an alibi that he was 70 miles away from here when Mrs. Brown was murdered, the officials proposed

## HENRY FORD ASKS FOR A RECOUNT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—In a petition received today by Vice-President Marshall, and laid before the senate, Henry Ford, democratic candidate for United States senator in Michigan who was defeated on the face of returns by Truman H. Newberry, republican, gave formal notice of a contest and asked for a recount. Extensive use of money in Newberry's campaign, intimidation of voters, improper selection of ballots, "flagrant violation" of election laws and many other charges are made in the petition.

## DEATHS

HANDLEY—John T. Handley died this morning at St. John's hospital. He leaves four brothers, Michael, William, Joseph and Peter Handley, and two sisters, Miss Mary Handley, of this city, and Mrs. James Roberts of Philadelphia. The body was removed to the home of his brother, Joseph, 32 Swift street, by Undertaker Higgins Bros.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

BATES—Died in this city, Jan. 5, at his home, 235 Mammoth road, Frederick A. Bates, aged 76 years, 3 months and 8 days. Funeral services will be held at his home, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are requested not to send flowers. Burial private.

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## NOTICE

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—AT—  
**OSTROFF'S** MIDDLESEX STREET

## JUSTICE FOR NEGROES

Meeting in Interest of Colored People and Democracy—Strong Addresses

The first meeting of the New Year of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was held yesterday afternoon at Post 120 G. A. R. hall, and the large and enthusiastic audience heard talented local and out-of-town speakers discuss the right made abroad by American negroes for world democracy, and their demand for democracy here at home.

The meeting opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" after which H. M. Wingood, president of the local branch, spoke briefly of the work of the association, which during the past nine years has labored hard to eliminate discrimination against colored people, has fought laws injurious to them and has sought to educate its own people in the principles of democracy. Mr. Wingood then introduced Butler R. Wilson, secretary of the Boston branch of the association.

"Today," said Mr. Wingood, "we face a great problem, the problem of our coming fight. It is much more difficult to put a great army of men back into civil life than to induct them into the service. Over 400,000 negroes went to France to fight for democracy. These men asked only one thing—that they should be allowed to vote in the great and tight. The speaker claimed that their induction

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## SUN BREVITIES

Best printing: Tobin's Associate bldg. Fire and liability insurance. Daniel O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.

Five Lowell sailors were on the six astrologers which reached Boston Friday after extended service hunting submarines. They were Daniel F. Kennedy, 3 Lane street court; T. B. Haynes, 11 Bleachery street; Charles E. Coule, P. K. Christis and A. J. Jones.

Private William M. Thompson, a member of Battery F of the 102d Field artillery, who was recently wounded overseas, has been promoted to corporal, according to letters coming from members of the battery. Private Thompson's home is in Fred street. It

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has also been learned that the present commanding officer of the battery is Capt. Lee H. Cover, a westerner, who is about 26 years old.

Mayer Perry D. Thompson, John M. O'Donoghue and several representatives of local labor interests, left for Washington, D. C., shortly after 11 o'clock this morning and will arrive in the capital tomorrow morning to confer with government officials on the matter of a gradual cessation of war industry in this city.

Carl Webster, one of the most noted talent in New England, will be the attraction at an entertainment to be given to members of the Lowell Teachers' organization by the teachers of the high school tomorrow afternoon in the high school hall at 415. Mr. Webster has been the soloist at a number of concerts given by the Boston Festival orchestra and his playing is commented on most favorably by a large body of critics.

The firemen responded to three telephone alarms this morning. The first at 7:25 o'clock for a slight blaze in a corner house at 410 Market street; the second, at 8:15 o'clock, for a small fire in clothing at the Cloverdale store in Merrimack street opposite Tilden street, and the third at 11:35 o'clock for a water leak at the Butterfield Printing Co. in Middle street, where water was dripping on the presses. The machines were covered with canvas and the leak was stopped.

George Berry, living in Deatur street, received injuries to his back while at his work at the Waterhead mills in Lawrence at 6:40 o'clock this morning. The ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to his home.

## Col. Roosevelt Dead

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after President McKinley had been assassinated, Col. Roosevelt 42 years of age, became the youngest president of the United States ever had. Three years later he was elected as president by the largest popular vote a president has received.

Thus Roosevelt served for seven years as the nation's chief magistrate. In a subsequent decade the fortunes of politics did not favor him, for, again a candidate for president—this time leading the progressive party which he himself had organized when he differed radically with some of the policies of the republican party in 1912—he went down to defeat, together with the republican candidate, William Howard Taft. Woodrow Wilson, democrat, was elected.

Col. Roosevelt's enemies agreed with his friends that his life, his character and his writings represented a high type of Americanism.

Of Dutch ancestry, born in New York city on October 27, 1858, in a house in East Twentieth street, the baby Theodore was a weanling. He was one of four children who came to Theodore and Martha Bulloch Roosevelt. The mother was of southern stock and the father, of northern, a situation which during the early years of Theodore's boyhood was not allowed to interfere with the family life of these children during the Civil war days.

So frail that he was not privileged to associate with the other boys in his neighborhood, Roosevelt was tutored

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privately, in New York and during travels on which his parents took the children abroad. A porch gymnasium at his home provided him with physical exercise with which he combated a troublesome asthma. His father, a glass importer and a man of means, was his constant companion; he kept a diary; he read so much history and fiction, books of adventure that he was known as a bookworm; he took boxing lessons; he was an amateur naturalist; and at the age of 17 he entered Harvard university. There he was not as prominent as some others in an athletic way, as it is not recorded that he "made" the baseball and football teams, but his puny body had undergone a metamorphosis and before graduation, he became one of the champion boxers of the college. This remarkable physical development was emphasized by something which took place shortly after he left Harvard in 1880. He went to Europe, climbed the Matterhorn, and as a result was elected a member of the Alpine club of London—an organization of men who had performed notable feats of adventure.

## His Marriage

A few months after his graduation, Roosevelt married Miss Alice Lee of Boston. She died in 1881, leaving one child, Alice, now the wife of Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio. In 1886 Roosevelt married Miss Edith Kermit Carow of New York, and to them five children were born—Ellen, now the wife of Dr. Richard Derby, and four sons, Theodore, Jr., Kermit, Archibald and Quentin, who was killed in France a short time before the close of the war.

The public career of the man who was to become president began not long after he left college. His profession was law but the activities that were to come left him no time in which to practice it. In 1882, 1883 and 1884 he was elected to the New York assembly, where his efforts on behalf of good government and civil service reform attracted attention. When the republican national convention of 1884 was held in Chicago he was chairman of the New York state delegation.

After this experience he dropped out of politics for two years. Going west, he purchased ranches along the Little Missouri river, in North Dakota, and divided his time between out door sports, particularly hunting, and literary work. Here he laid the foundation for his series of books, "The Winning of the West," which was published from 1889 to 1896, and of other volumes of kindred character.

Returning to New York he became the republican candidate for mayor in 1896. He was defeated. President Harrison in 1898 appointed him a member of the United States civil service commission and President Cleveland continued him in this office, which he resigned in 1902 to become New York city's police commissioner.

President McKinley appointed him assistant secretary of the navy in 1897. A year later the Spanish American war broke out.

Roosevelt's temperament did not allow the man to retain a deputy cabinet position with war offering something more exciting. Leonard Wood, now a major-general, was then Pres. McKinley's physician and one of Roosevelt's staunchest friends.

## Meats Rough Riders

The famous Rough Riders were organized by Wood and Roosevelt—a band of fighting men, the mention of whose name today suggests immediately the word "Roosevelt." They came out of the west—plainsmen, miners, rough and ready fighters who were natural marksmen, and Wood became their colonel and "Teddy," as he had become familiarly called by the public, their lieutenant-colonel. In company with the regulars of the army, they took transports to Cuba, landed at Santiago and were soon engaged in the thick of battle. Among the promotions which this hardy regiment's gallantry brought about were those of Wood to brigadier-general and Roosevelt to colonel—and this title Theodore Roosevelt cherished until the end. Some of the Rough Riders formed the military escort when he was elected president a few years later.

When Cuba had been liberated, Roosevelt returned to New York. A gubernatorial campaign was in swing, with the republican party in need of a capable candidate. Roosevelt was nominated. Van Wyck, his democratic opponent, was defeated. The reforms Roosevelt had favored as assemblyman he now had the opportunity to consummate, together with others of more importance, and it was during this administration that he is said first to have earned the hostility of corporations. When the republican national convention was held in Philadelphia in 1900 his party in New York state demanded and attained his nomi-

nation for vice president on the ticket with William McKinley. In November of that year this ticket was elected.

## Becomes President

The policies of McKinley, Roosevelt endeavored to carry out after he succeeded the former upon the president's tragic death at the hands of an assassin. Roosevelt retained his predecessor's cabinet as his own and he kept in office the ambassadors and ministers whom McKinley had appointed. As much as two years before the presidential campaign of 1904 republican organizations in various states began endorsing him as their next candidate.

At the height of his public and political career, during the four years of the term for which he had been elected, Roosevelt accomplished achievements which historians will rank high in the international and industrial progress of the country. They included his influential negotiations which, conducted at Portsmouth, N. H., effected peace between Russia and Japan; maintenance of the Monroe powers were interested in the affairs of Venezuela; the recognition of Panama by which the inter-oceanic canal through that country was put under way; and the settlement, through his moral influence in the face of a situation in which there was no adequate federal legislation, of the Pennsylvania coal mine strike. For his part in terminating the Russo-Japanese conflict he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1906. For four years later, once more a private citizen, he was special ambassador from the United States at the funeral of King Edward VII. of England.

A rift in the friendship between Roosevelt and his successor as President William Howard Taft, led to the former's announcement of his opposition to Mr. Taft's re-nomination. The ex-president's influence had been large in placing Mr. Taft in the White House. Now his influence was equally strong in preventing Mr. Taft from remaining there. Men who had clashed with the Taft policies quickly rallied to Roosevelt's support. Roosevelt assembled what he termed as constructive

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- 25-Friend's Bread Wrappers.....
- 10-Good-Will Soap Wrappers.....
- 10-Lion Brand Condensed Milk Labels.....
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was in 1910. At the head of an exploring party in South America in 1914 he discovered and followed for 600 miles a Madeira river tributary which the Brazilian government subsequently named in his honor, Rio Theodore. This was the famous "River of Doubt" so-called because in many quarters considered authoritative it was questioned whether Roosevelt was the first man to explore the stream. During this journey he contracted a jungle fever which was held indirectly responsible for the absences which developed malignantly and required several operations at the Roosevelt hospital in New York City, in 1913.

### Profile Writer

Theodore Roosevelt, besides being a prolific writer, lectured and made public speeches extensively, not only in his own country but in England, Spain, Germany and other parts of the world. The facility with which he made political enemies and followers made him a marked man for both the bitter and friendly contention of cartoonists and paragraphers. Quaint and picturesque phrases were coined liberally by him and by others concerning him. "Speak softly and use the big stick," "weasel words," "pussy-foot," "mollycoddle" and "my hat is in the ring" were some of the Rooseveltian expressions which attained wide publicity.

The strenuous physical activities in which Roosevelt engaged at the White House included boxing. It was not until about eight years after he left the White House that it was disclosed that during one of those bouts, which he welcomed as a means of keeping him in fighting trim, a blow landed by a sparring opponent injured one of the colonel's eyes. Later blindness of this eye developed.

When the European war began,

Roosevelt vigorously advocated a policy of national preparedness, urging universal military training for the nation's youth. In speeches throughout the country and in his magazine and newspaper writings he criticized, in this respect, the policies of Woodrow Wilson during Mr. Wilson's first term as president.

In 1915 he campaigned for Mr. Hughes. With the re-election of Mr. Wilson, and America's entry into the world war soon after, Roosevelt immediately supported the president and bitterly assailed the pro-Germans, pacifists and other types of men who attempted to delay speeding up the war.

Denied the privilege of fighting for his flag, Theodore Roosevelt's interest was centered on his family's participation in the war. His four sons and his son-in-law, Dr. Derby, carried out a prediction made by the former president before the United States took up arms—that if war came they would enter service. Theodore, Jr., became a major and Archibald a captain, both in France. Quentin entered a French aviation squadron, and Dr. Derby the medical service, also both in France. Kermit, failing to pass a physical examination which would admit him to the United States army, received a commission in the British army and was soon in Mesopotamia. It is not improbable that the death of his son Quentin featured his end.

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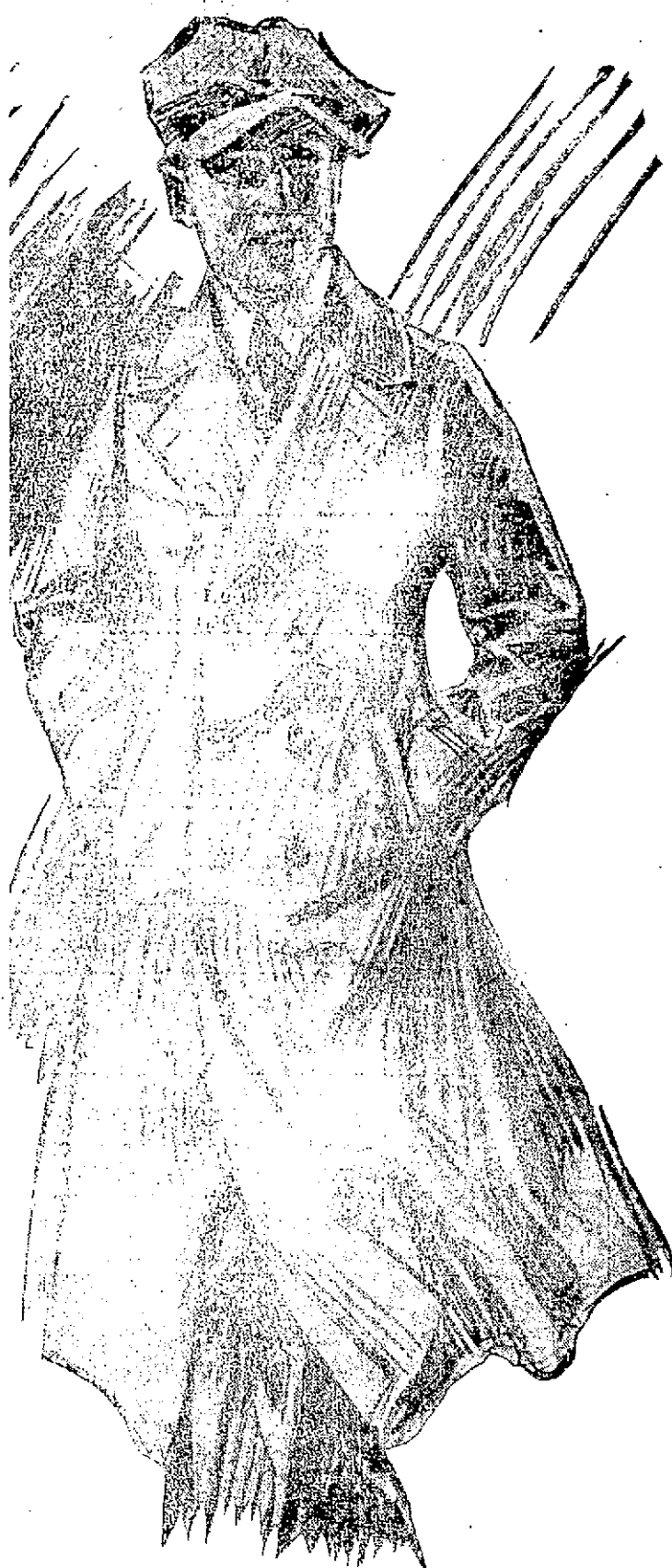
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—you can pick from a \$125,000.00 stock and get boni-fide price reductions on Lowell's largest and highest grade stock of clothing—a stock that was already marked lower than any other in town.

We believed the war was to continue at least six months longer and had bought ahead for your wants before the big price advance and find ourselves with a stock forty thousand dollars heavier than it should be.

We think it good business to reduce at once—so it will be a great advantage to you to purchase now—every man returning from the army and navy should help us to unload.

We don't believe that prices will be lower for the next year, as the price of wool and labor will no doubt hold and you'll get no lower prices next fall than our original prices today.

We have not changed a tag on our stock—this list will be posted at the store and you can make the discount we advertise.

\$15 Overcoats **\$12.50**

\$20 Overcoats **\$16.50**

\$25 Overcoats **\$21.50**

\$30 Overcoats **\$25.00**

\$35 Overcoats **\$29.50**

\$40 Overcoats **\$34.50**

\$50 Overcoats **\$43.50**

\$60 Overcoats **\$50.00**

\$18 Mackinaws **\$14.50**

\$15 Mackinaws **\$12.50**

\$12 Reefers **\$9.50**

## Boys' Suits

\$8.50 Suits.....	\$6.75
\$10 Suits.....	\$8.50
\$12 Suits.....	\$10
\$13.50 Suits.....	\$12
\$15 Suits.....	\$13
\$18 Suits.....	\$15
\$20 Suits.....	\$16.50

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\$4 Suits.....	\$3.50
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\$13.50 Overcoats.....	\$12
\$15 Overcoats.....	\$13
\$16.50 Overcoats.....	\$14
\$18 Overcoats.....	\$15
\$20 Overcoats.....	\$16.50
\$22 Overcoats.....	\$18.50

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\$8.50 Overcoats.....	\$6.75
\$10 Overcoats.....	\$7.50
\$12 Overcoats.....	\$9.50
\$15 Overcoats.....	\$12.50

## Boys' Mackinaws

\$6.75 Mackinaws.....	\$5.50
\$8.50 Mackinaws.....	\$6.50
\$10 Mackinaws.....	\$7.50
\$13.50 Mackinaws.....	\$11
\$15 Overcoats.....	\$12.50

## Juvenile Overcoats

\$6.75 Overcoats.....	\$5.50
\$8.50 Overcoats.....	\$6.75
\$10 Overcoats.....	\$7.50
\$12 Overcoats.....	\$10
\$15 Mackinaws.....	\$12.50

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Here's a suit sale that will make everybody sit up and take notice. Eight hundred and sixty suits, \$2 to \$5 less than whole-sale prices today. Suits that sell at \$18, \$20, \$22. All in one big lot. You take your pick at thirteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

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## LOWELL MAN ENTITLED TO COMPENSATION

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 6.—A finding that John Hawkins of Lowell is entitled, under the terms of the workmen's compensation law, to receive the sum of \$357.75 from the American Mutual Liability Insurance company, as compensation for an accident which happened to him Aug. 11,

1917, while employed in the Lowell Bleachery, has been made by Frank J. Donahue of the industrial accident board.

The decision follows a hearing held in Lowell Jan. 22, 1918, but the decision has just been handed down. The

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insurance company claimed that the circumstances under which Hawkins was injured were not such as to entitle him to compensation, it contending specifically that what he was doing when he was injured was not anything which was required of him by his employer. The circumstances of the case are set forth in Mr. Donahue's decision, as follows:

"The employee in this case worked on the kiers (the iron rollers) in the boiler room of the Lowell Bleachery and had for six years; these kiers are filled with hot liquor in which cloth is bleached; the heat in this room was very oppressive, the oppression from

the steam being added to the oppression from the atmosphere. This was especially true in the summer time. In the summer of 1917 there were several complaints from this employee and other employees, and as a result of these complaints the overseer had a window removed and a fan installed to suck out the hot air. Prior to the installation of this fan the only ventila-

tion came from four large windows on one side of the room, with four small windows underneath them. When the fan was installed these small windows were nailed up, but Hawkins was ignorant of this, and when two days later he attempted to remove one of the windows in order to increase the ventilation, his hand was caught in the fan and the middle and index fingers of the left hand were amputated. "I find and rule, therefore, that the employee was not only doing something two of his fingers of his left hand was caught in the fan and the middle and index fingers of the left hand were amputated. "I find and rule, therefore, that the employee was not only doing something two of his fingers of his left hand was caught in the fan and the middle and index fingers of the left hand were amputated.

better to perform their work, but he was looking after the ventilation of the room, which for two years it had been his duty to do. He was not doing anything unnecessary nor unreasonable, nor acting contrary to any rules or orders, nor was he acting for any purpose of his own unconnected with his employment.

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his usual wages.) I find that because of the loss of these two fingers and the drawn up condition of the other fingers on the same hand the employee has been totally incapacitated for work up to the time of this hearing, and is entitled to compensation at the rate of \$8.25 a week for a period of 22 weeks, from Aug. 21 to Jan. 21.

"Under these findings there is due to the employee from this insurer a total of \$357.75."

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# Justice for Negroes

Continued

tion on account of their race. "There they were subjected to many humiliations never before in this country when the colored people were not found on the side of freedom and democracy. The United States could in all its wars count on the loyalty of her colored citizens."

"I wish to earnestly commend the editorial recently published in The Lowell Sun which says in part: 'The time has come when American communities must stop reflecting to an Italian as a danger, and to a colored man as a nigger.' The time has come to put a stop to epithets of this kind. The Sun is fighting the fight of justice in its editorial pages. Buy The Sun, every one of you, and back up its campaign for a real and true democracy. May I add, in the spirit of this editorial, that our duty to our returning colored soldiers is to show them at least the ordinary courtesies of the day."

"Notwithstanding the many indignities heaped upon them in the service, fewer negroes offered objections to taking their place on the firing line than in any other body of men in the United States."

"They did as they were ordered, uncomplainingly and with marvelous patience, satisfied in that they were doing their bit in some manner for their country, under the flag they loved. But racial prejudice had followed them even across the Atlantic. I will give just one or two instances of this. A company of colored troops arrived at a French village one evening, remaining there for several days. Although the town had a good population, the troops were mystified by the fact that no girls or women were seen on the streets after dusk. Inquiry revealed that previous to their arrival some southern soldiers had stopped there and had warned the populace that women and girls must keep to their homes during the evening while the colored soldiers were there, as otherwise they would be subjected to brutal assaults."

"I know of a white man and his negro chauffeur who had been ordered to fight for Old Glory. After the former left home his mother placed a service flag in the front window. A neighbor suggested that Tom, the chauffeur, was also entitled to a service flag. Accordingly the mother put another flag up—in the basement window. When her son came home wounded he asked why Tom's flag had been placed in the basement and his own upstairs. 'Tom and I have been to France,' the young man said. 'Tom is no longer my chauffeur, he is my companion, and entitled to the same treatment as myself.' So the service flag was taken upstairs."

"At some of the Y.M.C.A. huts in France, negro soldiers were not even allowed to step in and buy a box of cigars, simply because of the racial prejudice existing even over there in one of the most democratic countries in the world. In the south today, the colored people are saying: 'Our men are coming back and they will change things.' Are the negroes and white people of the south going to be able to get together in harmony and understanding when that time arrives? This is where the real test is coming. 'Lynching in the south and elsewhere has got to stop. Schools for the colored children must be provided in the south. Over 600,000 negroes have left their homes in the south during the past year and come into the eastern states. They came because here in the east they could find education, self-respect and less indignities to be borne. Many sacrificed their homes and the savings of 50 years to get away from the south. How are we of the east going to meet these people, and also the home-coming colored soldiers from overseas? It is to be hoped that we shall be wise enough to take them on their merits, and not meet them in the spirit of the south."

"It is the duty of colored people in every community to take their part in the affairs of their city, and by so doing you will be performing your duties as a good citizen. Command yourselves to Lowell by being the best citizens possible. Get acquainted with your mayor and your city officials. Above all, don't forget to exercise your right to vote. In this way you will advance the cause of real democracy in the community in which you live."

## Mayor Thompson

Mayor Perry D. Thompson was next introduced and received a most cordial reception. As head of the department of public health and safety, His Honor said he had been so much occupied the past few days that he had not been able to give the subject the consideration and thought which it deserved, and he took occasion to pay a fitting tribute to the executive head of the health department, Fred A. Bates who died during the day. The mayor said that he liked to feel that he was the mayor of all the people, no matter what race, color or creed. He declared himself in sympathy with the movement to eliminate prejudice and class feeling throughout the country.

## George G. Bradford

Mr. Wilson then introduced the final speaker, George G. Bradford, of Los Angeles, who spoke in part as follows:

"A free citizen must maintain his liberty as a free citizen by doing his duty to his neighbors and his country as a volunteer on his own initiative. The conscious initiative, that is, civil liberty, is the basic principle behind this great forward movement towards the removal of racial prejudice. White people are prejudiced against negroes because they are of a different class than themselves, and vice versa. We must get rid of this habit of prejudging other people."

"This movement for an equal and free democracy affect twelve million negroes. The purpose is to establish

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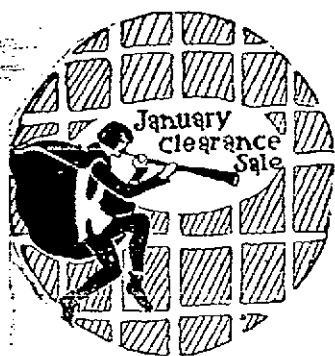
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INFANTS' SILK HEEL AND TOE CASHMERE HOSE, mostly white and colors, broken sizes. Reg. price 39c and 50c. Sale price ..... 25c Pair

CHILDREN'S MEDIUM RIBBED COTTON HOSE—For boys and girls, all sizes. Reg. price 50c. Sale price ..... 39c

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE, lisle top and feet, made full fashioned, double sole and high spliced heels, in black and white. Reg. price \$1.50. Sale price ..... \$1.25



## LEATHER DRESS SUIT CASES

Made of cowhide, with leather corners, brass lock and catches. 24- inch size. Regular price \$5.95. Sale price ..... \$3.95

## Women's Coats

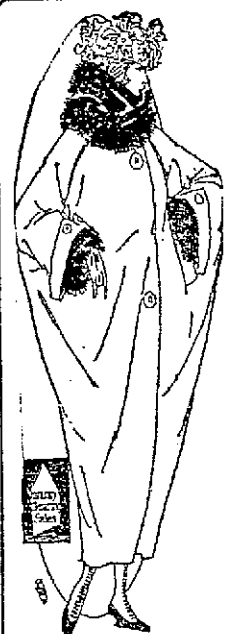
ONE BIG CLEAN UP OF WINTER COATS

Coats that sold for \$29.50, \$35.00, \$39.50, \$45.00. Sale price

**\$25.00**

Fur trimmed coats, plain coats, in all the fine materials, all sizes, 16 to 51.

One small lot of Coats, fur trimmed, half lined, \$25.00 values. **\$15.00**  
Sale price.....



## ART DEPARTMENT

Bear Brand  
Yarn

Art wool. Regular price 40c ball. Sale price 25c ball

Knitting Worsted. Regular price 60c ball. Sale price 35c ball

Shetland Floss. Regular price 30c ball. Sale price 20c ball

Vienna. Regular price 55c ball. Sale price 35c ball

All Wool Worsted Knitting Yarn, khaki color only, 4 oz. skeins. Regular price \$1.00. Sale price ..... 50c

NO C. O. D.'s—NO REFUNDS—NO EXCHANGES—NO MEMOS—NO TELEPHONE ORDERS



Fleisher's  
Yarn

Tenzlyarn. Regular price 33c ball. Sale price 20c

Paradise Zephyr. Regular price 80c ball. Sale price 40c

Vienna. Regular price 50c ball. Sale price ..... 30c

Aurora Zephyr. Regular price 55c ball. Sale price 30c

## Women's Coats

Fine Coats that are the smartest of the season. Bolivia, Crystal Cord, Duotone, Silvertone and Duvi de Laine, fur trimmed and plain. Were \$50.00 to \$85.00. Sale price

**\$35, \$45, \$49.50, \$59.50**

## SALTS PLUSH COATS

In all sizes to 46, 25 coats with big American marlen collar, all lined with guaranteed lining. Sale price

**\$35.00**



## CORSET DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

CORSETS

Redfern, La Resistia, Blen Jolie and American Lady. Reg. price \$5.00. Sale price ..... \$3.98

CORSETS

Medium and low busts. Reg. price \$1.50. Sale price ..... \$1.00

CHILDREN'S FERRIS WAISTS

Reg. price \$1.00. Sale price ..... 75c

BANDEAUX without straps, for evening wear. Reg. price \$1.25. Sale price ..... 75c

BRASSIERES—Hook front and crossed back. Reg. price 50c. Sale price ..... 35c

CORSETS

Lace front, medium bust, long skirt with elastic girth. Reg. price \$7.00. Sale price ..... \$5.00

CORSETS

R.&G. medium bust, long skirt, silk and white. Reg. price \$8.00. Sale price ..... \$1.65

CHILDREN'S LITTLE BEAUTY AND PERFECTION WAISTS, for boys and girls. Reg. price 75c. Sale price ..... 59c

SHIRRED HAMBURG RUFFLES. Reg. price \$1.25. Sale price ..... 75c



## CHILDREN'S

CHILDREN'S HATS

Hats in panne velvet, velours and beaver. All newest colors with trim- ming of ribbon and velvet. Reg. price \$2.95 to \$3.95. Sale price ..... \$1.98

CHILDREN'S HATS

Small lot of children's velvet and corduroy hats in black, brown and navy. Reg. price 95c and \$1.98. Sale price ..... 25c

CHILDREN'S LEGGINGS

All wool, knitted in open, rose, brown and gray, sizes 1, 2 and 3. Reg. price \$1.98. Sale price ..... \$1.29



## SECTION

CHILDREN'S CAPS

Woolen caps, in red, brown, and rose, with white trim- mings. Reg. price 60c. Sale price ..... 49c

CHILDREN'S CAPS

Small lot of woolen caps, slightly soiled. Reg. price 49c. Sale price ..... 29c

SILK DRESSES

Pretty silk dresses, in navy, open and rose taffeta. Fancy plaids and stripes. Pretty girlish styles, sizes 8 to 14 years. Reg. price \$10.98 and \$14.98. Sale price ..... \$5.98

CHILDREN'S COATS

All of our children's coats marked at one-half price.

## Ribbon Specials

PERSIAN RIBBON—Special for bags. Reg. price 50c, 55c, \$1.19, and a few \$1.49 yard. Sale price ..... 65c Yard

DRESDEN RIBBON—Extra heavy quality, special for hair bows and fancy work. Reg. price 49c and 50c. Sale price ..... 25c Yard

ODD LOT OF RIBBONS—For camisoles, in Dresden and plain. Reg. price \$1.50 to \$2.50 yard. Sale price ..... \$1.00 Yard

ODD LOTS OF RIBBONS—In moire, plain and broadened, for camisoles and fancy work. Reg. price 60c to \$1.39. Sale price ..... 39c Yard

ODD LOT OF RIBBONS—In satin and plain. Reg. price 25c and 30c yard. Sale price ..... 19c

BLACK VELVET RIBBON—5 inches wide; special for the new girdles. Reg. price 85c. Sale price ..... 60c Yard

FANCY HAIRBOW NOVELTIES—Extra heavy quality. Reg. price 40c and 50c. Sale price ..... 39c Yard



## DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

27 inch Outing Flannel. Reg. price 37 1-2c. Sale price ..... 25c Yard  
27 inch Dress Gingham (remnants). Reg. price 29c. Sale price ..... 25c Yard  
27 inch Apron Gingham (remnants). Reg. price 29c. Sale price ..... 20c Yard  
36 inch Manchester Best Percale. Reg. price 24c. Sale price ..... 25c Yard  
27 inch All Wool Challies. Reg. price 59c. Sale price ..... 25c Yard  
Short lengths, palm-leaf, lawn, batiste and long cloth. Reg. price 25c to 50c. Sale price ..... 15c  
42x56 Pillow Cases, embroidered colored edge. Reg. price 90c. Sale price ..... 49c  
36 inch Fruit of the Loom cotton. Reg. price 25c. Sale price ..... 27c Yard  
26 inch Bleached Cotton. Reg. price 27c. Sale price ..... 19c Yard  
Colored Edge Piece Cloths. Reg. price 6 1-4c. Sale price ..... 1-6c for 25c

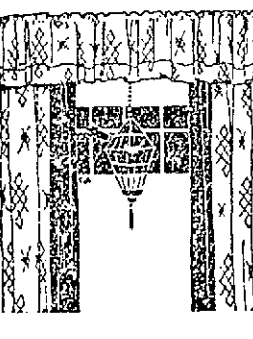


## DRAPERY DEPT. SPECIALS

One hundred pairs of Voile Curtains, (Dutch style) neat hemstitching, good full valance, long neat 1-inch heading, full 24 inches wide, \$2.50 value. Sale price ..... \$1.49 Pair

NET CURTAINS

Plain net with 3-4 inch wide lace edge, full width and length. Reg. price \$2.50. Sale price ..... \$2.25



MARQUINETTE YARD GOODS—Best quality double twisted thread, silk mercerized, 36 and 40 inches wide, in fancy stripes and weaves; border or plain hemstitching, in white, cream and corn. Reg. price 40c. Sale price ..... 29c Yard

Best quality marquisette, wide flat lace edge and insertion. Ready to hang. Reg. price \$3.50. Sale price ..... \$1.50

## DRESS GOODS DEPT.

SILK CHIFFON VELVETS

40 inches wide, all pure silk, only 3 colors, as follows: Burgundy, amethyst and gold, to close. Regular price \$5.98. Sale price ..... \$3.98 Yard

LINING SATINS

In plain colors and fancy brocaded, about 20 pieces, not all colors but a good assortment to choose from. Regular price \$1.59. Sale price ..... \$1.00 Yard

ALL WOOL FRENCH SERGE

42 inches wide, all pure wool, in the following colors only—Phm, burgundy, green, taupe and Belgium. Reg. price \$1.08 yard. Sale price ..... \$1.69 Yd.

COATINGS

54 inches wide, all wool, in the following weaves—velours, kersey, bolivia and zibeline, any color we have in stock to close out. Regular price \$5.50 to \$6.98. Sale price ..... \$3.98 Yard

DRESS GOODS

Consisting of light and dark plaids, stripes, black and white checks, all at one price. Regular price 98c to \$1.25. Sale price ..... 69c Yard





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DRY GOODS CO.

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**IMPORTANT**

We hold few sales, but you may be sure that they are honest, above board, and founded on a legitimate cause. Then, too we carry only dependable merchandise, thus protecting you at all times from receiving inferior qualities

# January Clearance Sale

EVERY DEPARTMENT IS OFFERING  
MERCHANDISE AT SAVINGS YOU  
CANNOT AFFORD TO MISS

OVER HALF-A-MILLION DOLLARS' WORTH  
OF FIRST QUALITY MERCHANDISE AT  
LOWEST PRICES OF THE SEASON

## WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S GLOVES and MITTENS

**WOMEN'S KID GLOVES**—Two clasp, in white, burgundy, black and sand. Reg. price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.50.  
**WOMEN'S GLOVES**—Small lot of black kid gloves. Sizes 5 3-4 and 6 only. Reg. price \$2.00. Sale price \$1.50.  
**WOMEN'S GLOVES**—Small lot of long black suede gloves, sizes 5 3-4, 6, 6 1-4 and 6 1-2. Reg. price \$1.50. Sale price \$1.00.  
**WOMEN'S GLOVES**—Washable kid, in sand color and white. Reg. price \$2.50. Sale price \$1.65.  
**WOMEN'S KID GLOVES**—Two clasp kid gloves, in all sizes, all colors. Reg. price \$2.25. Sale price \$1.65.  
**CHILDREN'S KID GLOVES**—Washable, in sand color only. Reg. price \$1.75. Sale price \$1.00.  
**WOMEN'S GLOVES**—Tan kid, with strap wrist. Reg. price \$2.50. Sale price \$2.00.  
**WOMEN'S GLOVES**—In brown suede. Reg. price \$2.50. Sale price \$2.00.  
**WOMEN'S WOOL GOLF GLOVES**—In all colors. Reg. price 59c. Sale price 39c.  
**MISSSES' MITTENS**—Reg. price 59c. Sale price 39c.  
**CHILDREN'S WOOLEN MITTENS AND GLOVES**. Sale price 15c Pair

## SMALLWARE SPECIALS

Reg. Price Sale Price  
5c Card Hooks and Eyes..... 3 for 10c  
5c Tape Measures..... 3 for 5c  
2c Paper Hair Pins..... 3 for 5c  
5c Asbestos Iron Holders..... 3c  
10c Card Toilet Pins..... 5c  
10c Plastic Hair Braid..... 7c  
10c Roll White Tape..... 6c

Reg. Price Sale Price  
15c and 19c Inside Skirt Belting, in black and white..... 10c  
25c Sanitary Aprons..... 19c  
Children's 15c Hose Supporters..... 10c  
19c to 50c Fancy Buttons..... 10c Card  
15c Stocking Braid..... 12c  
25c Sanitary Napkins, six in box..... 10c

## MILLINERY SPECIALS

**Lot of Velvet Trimmed Hats**, made of Lyons velvet, trimmed with fur, fancy feathers and velvet flowers. Regular price \$7.98 and \$8.98. Sale price \$4.98

**Trimmed Velvet Hats**, in black and colors, trimmed with ostrich, pom poms, burnt goose feathers and ribbons. Regular price \$6.98. Sale price \$3.98

**Untrimmed Velvet Shapes**, small, medium and large, in black and colors. Sale price 49c, 98c and \$1.98.

**Lot of FLOWERS AND FANCY FEATHERS**. Sale Price 9c, 10c, 25c, 35c and 49c.

**GENUINE MANHATTAN VELOURS**. In purple, gray, blue and black. Reg. price \$9.98. Sale Price \$4.98

**Misses' and Ready-to-Wear Hats**, made of velvet, trimmed with velvet rose buds, grosgrain ribbon and fancies. Regular price \$2.98 and \$3.98. Sale price 98c and \$1.98

**CHILDREN'S HATS**. Balance of our Children's Hats, made of velvet, trimmed with fur and flowers. Sale price 49c and 98c

## Jewelry and Leather Goods

**LEATHER HAND BAGS**—Genuine pin seal, morocco and vachette, silk lined, fitted with purse and mirror. Reg. price \$2.50 to \$6.00. Sale price \$1.50

**COMPLETE LINE OF JEWELRY**, including bar pins, hand painted brooches, collar pins, gold shell rings and good assortment of ear rings. Reg. price 25c and 39c. Sale price 17c

**VACHETTE ENVELOPE PURSES**—Convenient size and good quality. Reg. price 69c. Sale price 49c

**SILVER VANITY AND PARTY CASES**—With mirror and coin purses. Reg. price \$1.50 to \$7.50. Sale price 1-2 Price

**PEARL BEADS**—Opera length, graduated, waxed filled. Reg. price \$1.00. Sale price 59c

**SAMPLE LINE OF JEWELRY**—Large assortment of bar pins, brooches and collar pins, prettily boxed. Reg. price 59c, 69c and 79c. Sale price 39c

## TOILET GOODS SPECIALS

Reg. Price Sale Price  
15c Box Scented Bath Powder..... 10c  
25c Tube Hone Tooth Paste..... 15c  
15c Bottle Hone Tooth Powder..... 10c  
15c Can Talcum Powder..... 7c  
10c Box Palmolive Face Powder..... 7c  
15c Bottle Violet Antiseptic..... 10c  
15c Metal Hot Water Bottles..... \$1.00  
15c Unbreakable Rubber Combs..... 8c  
19c Pkg. Hone Rice Powder..... 2 for 25c

Reg. Price Sale Price  
49c Rubber Syringe..... 35c  
10c Cake White Castile Soap, 3 for 25c  
5c Cake Assorted Toilet Soaps, 3 for 10c  
15c Pkg. 20 Mule Team Bore Acid Powder..... 10c  
13c Pkg. Lux Soap..... 3 for 35c  
\$4.50 Bonnet Shape Pyralin Ivory Mirrors..... \$4.00  
39c Pyralin Ivory Combs..... 25c

## Women's Suits

SUITS AT BIG REDUCTIONS

Not ordinary suits but exclusive styles. The finest suits in Lowell. Your choice of any suit that sold up to \$45.00. Sale price..... **\$25.00**

### WOMEN'S SUITS

Fine Out-of-the-Ordinary Suits. Exclusive Styles. \$100.00 to \$145.00 Suits, beautiful styles, Sale price..... **\$65.00**

\$55.00 to \$69.50 Stylish Suits. Sale price..... **\$39.50**

\$65.00 Velvet Suits, all Shades. Sale price..... **\$39.50**

## WAIST and SWEATER SPECIALS

**LINGERIE WAISTS**—10 dozen white voile waists, taken from our \$2.00 broken lines and discontinued styles, but all good styles and every size in the lot. Reg. price \$2.00. Sale price 98c

**JAP SILK AND VOILE WAISTS**—Five dozen Jap silk in the lot, in white and flesh. Also 10 dozen of our best styles in voiles. Reg. price \$2.00. Sale price \$1.49

**GEORGETTE WAISTS**—Three dozen, in suit shades of brown, navy and taupe. Smart styles, one or two of a kind. Reg. price \$6.98-\$7.98. Sale price \$4.98

**LINGERIE WAISTS**—A clean up of our stock of lingerie waists. Buy early as these waists will soon go at this price. Reg. price \$2.98 and \$3.98. Sale price \$1.98

**WOMEN'S SLIP-ON SWEATERS**—Big buy of all wool, slip-ons, in three styles, all shades, salmon, rose, turquoise, purple, copen and nile. Sizes 38 to 46. Reg. price \$6.98. Sale price \$4.98

**WOMEN'S SLIP-ON SWEATERS**—One of the best styles of the season. All shades. Reg. price \$7.98. Sale price \$5.98

**SHETLAND SWEATERS**—Five dozen, a fine lot of all sizes and shades, salmon, turquoise, rose, purple, copen and tan. Big bargain. Be sure you get one. Reg. price \$9.98. Sale price \$5.98

## Silk Department

**SILK POPLIN**  
36 inches wide, high lustre, good dress quality, in navy, brown, taupe, pink, old rose, copen, plum and black. Regular price \$1.25 yard Sale price 98c yard

**SILK PLAIDS**  
All pure silk, 36 inches wide, beautiful combinations, suitable for separate skirts and waists, 9 pieces to choose from. Regular price \$1.98. Sale price \$1.59

**GEORGIANA SILK CREPE**  
Also a few pieces of Marquisette, 40 inches wide all pure silk, suitable for waists and evening dresses. Colors, peach, yellow, nile, turquoise, dark green and old rose. Regular price \$1.98. Sale price 98c yard

**ALL SILK PETTICOATS**—About 60 petticoats, in all shades, mostly one or two of a kind, that is why we want to clean them up before stock-taking. Reg. price \$2.98 and \$3.98. Sale price \$2.49

**COTTON TAFFETA PETTICOATS**—Only five dozen, black only. Good style, fine material. We cannot duplicate to sell at the reg. price, \$1.49. Sale price 98c

## WOMEN'S DRESSES

### 32 SILK DRESSES

In very smart styles, 18 to 44. Every dress new this season. Colors are plum, taupe, brown, visteria, navy; also 25 new serge dresses. Regular price \$25.00 and \$27.50. Sale price..... **\$14.95**

### JERSEY DRESSES

We have taken 35 of our best jersey dresses, the smartest styles, all sizes, all shades, mouse, tan, rookie, pekin, copen, navy and black, 18 to 46 sizes. Reg. price \$30 and \$35. Sale price **\$19.95**

### SILK DRESSES

We have put into this lot the cream of our dress stock 50 dresses in the best quality satin with fringe and georgette trimmings, taupe, plum, brown and navy, all sizes, plenty of 40 to 44 sizes. Regular price \$32.50, \$35 and \$37.50. Sale price..... **\$19.95**

### NEW SERGE DRESSES

One hundred serge dresses bought at reduced prices and our own complete stock, up to \$29.50. Many men's wear serge, sizes 16 to 40. Sale price **\$19.95**

## WOMEN'S SHOES AND RUBBERS

**Queen Quality and Boston Favorite**, in tan button boots, broken sizes and widths. Regular price \$3.00 and \$4. Sale price **\$1.39 pair**

**Women's High and Low Heel Rubbers**, sizes 2 1/2 to 4, and a few large sizes. Regular price 60c. Sale price..... **39c pair**

## APRON SPECIALS

**WHITE APRONS**—Made of fine organdie and dotted muslins, trimmed with lace insertion and embroidery. Regular price 25c. Sale price..... **12 1/2c**

**BUNGALOW APRONS**—Made of fine gingham and percale, in belted and straight models, in pretty stripes, trimmed with pink, blue and lavender. Regular price \$1.98. Sale price..... **\$1.49**

## GALVANIZED WASH TUBS

Made of heavy stock, thoroughly galvanized, medium size. Regular price \$1.65. Sale price..... **\$1.39**

## Nickel Bath-Room Fixtures

Holders for soap, tumblers, tooth brushes, towels, sponges. Regular price \$1. Sale price, choice..... **49c**

## Clearance sale of Silver Plated Ware

Ferry Spoons, Cream Ladles, Sugar and Creamer, Butter Knife, etc. Values to 98c. Sale Price **34c**

## LEATHER DRESS SUIT CASES

Made of cowhide with leather corners, brass lock and catches and strapped, 24 in. size. Regular price \$5.98. Sale price..... **\$3.98**

## GAS RADIATORS

Reflector styles, will heat 12 ft. room comfortably in cold weather. Regular price \$2.98. Sale price **\$2.19**

## MRS. POTTS' IRONS

3 irons, assorted sizes, handle and flat stand. Regular price \$2.25. Sale price, complete..... **\$1.59**  
89c Parlor Brooms. Sale price **59c**

## SPECIALS IN OUR HOUSEWARES DEPARTMENT

### ODD DINNER WARE

To Close

Cup and Saucer 19c

4, 5 and 7 inch Plates, 9c, 11c, 15c

Fruit Dishes 7c

Platters 25c, 39c

Balance to complete a set at proportionate prices.

### MILLER OIL HEATER

Japanese trimmings, brass front, oilless, smokeless, non-explosive. Regular price \$7.75. Sale Price..... **\$6.75**

### GALVANIZED ROTARY ASH SIFTERS

Regular price \$4.75. Sale Price..... **\$3.49**

### STEEL ASH SIFTERS

Long handle. Regular price 89c. Sale Price..... 39c

### EXTRA QUALITY ALUMINUM TEA KETTLES

Strong, serviceable and sanitary. Choice 5 or 8-inch sizes. Regular price \$5.50. Sale Price..... **\$4.49**

### COVERED GRAY ENAMELED KETTLES

Double coated enamel with bail handle and cover, holds 11 qt. Regular price \$2.19. Sale Price..... **\$1.79**  
16 qt. size. Regular price \$2.49. Sale Price..... **\$1.95**

### GAS TABLE LAMP

New design, in three finishes, fitted complete. Regular price \$7.50. Sale price..... **\$5.98**

### INVERTED GAS LIGHT

All brass burner, mantle and opal globe. Regular price 55c. Sale price complete..... 49c

### GAS GLOBES

3 styles, will fit any open burner. Four sizes. Regular price 25c. Sale Price..... 11c

### DINNER SET

To serve eight people, priced at less than the common white ware. Three new decorations to choose from. 56 pieces. Regular price \$15.00. Sale price..... **\$10.98**

### DECORATED DINING SETS

Selected semi-porcelain body, in spray and border pattern, full gold lined. 112 pieces set. Regular price \$29.98. Sale Price..... **\$22.98**

### CUT GLASS WATER TUMBLERS

Fine blown glass, optic designs, floral cuttings. Regular price \$1.00 doz. Sale Price..... **\$1.95 Doz.**

### CUT GLASS SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS

Floral cutting, new design, made of non-corrosive metal. Regular price 39c. Sale Price..... 29c

### CUT GLASS HANDLED ICED TEA GLASSES

Set of 6. Regular price \$3.98. Sale Price..... **\$1.98**

### CUT GLASS WATER SETS

Large tankard, liberally cut, with six glasses to match. Regular price \$2.50. Sale Price..... **\$1.29 Set**

### FOOTED CUT GLASS SHERBETS

Set of 6. Regular price \$3.98. Sale Price..... **\$1.98**

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### SHEET STEEL FRY PAN

10 in. size, with cold handle. Regular price 35c. Sale price..... **19c**

### ORONA, The Great Aluminum Cleanser

15c box, Sale price 11c ea. 25c box, Sale price 17c ea. 20 MULE TEAM BORAX 10 oz. package. Sale price..... 8c

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## ABRAHAM LINCOLN SAID:

The plain people are the bone and sinew of the nation. He was right and this wise saying applies to our own city of Lowell. The plain people made Lowell what it is today. They are the bone and sinew of the city.

They work in Lowell; they earn their money in Lowell; and they spend it in Lowell. Most of them are too busy to read the morning paper, with yesterday's news. They find it more convenient to read the evening paper, with today's news; and ninety-five per cent of them read The Sun. Merchants, do you not see that the readers of The Sun are the bone and sinew of Lowell. Would you talk to them? Would you tell them about your wares and your prices?

Then talk to the people through the advertising columns of the people's paper—

## THE SUN

Lowell's Greatest Newspaper

### PUBLIC SAFETY FIRST

The people of this nation had an illustration of the utter madness of tolerating strikes of firemen when a fierce fire broke out in Cleveland, O., while a large number of the firemen were on strike for the enforcement of an eight hour day. Fortunately, about fifty of the striking firemen were honest enough to come to the aid of those fighting the flames; and thus a threatening conflagration was stopped after a loss of \$100,000 in the destruction of one of the most prominent buildings of the city.

The legislature of this state should make due provision of law for the arbitration of all disputes involving the wages or hours of labor of firemen and policemen. In the interests of public safety strikes of both classes of public servants, for any cause whatsoever, should be prohibited. This does not imply any desire to ignore the demands or curtail the rights of the officials in question. It is merely asserting the right of the community to continuous protection of life and property, so that neither may be left in jeopardy at the whim of any set of men because of a dispute over wages or working conditions.

The public interest is paramount and public safety should never be held as secondary, or left subject to labor strikes over matters that should be settled by conference or arbitration by disinterested parties.

When cities arrange that when either policemen or firemen go on strike, they thereby lose their positions, the men will not be so ready to leave the city unprotected against the risk of fire or the outbreak of mob violence. Moreover, we believe their interests will be fully as well taken care of, or even better than by a resort to the strike.

There is no doubt that police and firemen, like every other class of employees, may have grievances that should be considered and remedied; but that fact does not justify a step that may be attended with disastrous consequences to the city employing them.

### THE RAILROADS

It is not understood that William G. McAdoo favors government ownership of railroad when he recommends that the railroads of the country be held by the government for the next five years.

It must be plain that to release the railroads now or within the twenty-one months after the war, as provided in the act of congress by which the railroads were taken over, would cause very serious disturbance of industry throughout the country. President Wilson has stated that the railroads can never be returned to private owners under the conditions that prevailed before the war. The railroads now constitute one system from coast to coast, and from north to south. If returned to the original owners, they would instantly be broken up into a number of competitive systems hampered by local restrictions and regulations provided by each of the forty-eight states, in addition to the overhead rules imposed by the Interstate Commerce commission.

It will require considerable time to devise a proper system of joint control under which the railroads will be obliged to connect their various systems in order to offer the advantages of continuous service under a single system, as at present. Government ownership has certain advantages, among which are unity of control and uniformity of regulations throughout the country. If these features can be maintained under private ownership, the roads should be able to give much better service than they did before the government experiment. For the present and for the next two years, the industries of

the country will have enough to contend with without any disarrangement of the transportation system.

Government ownership cannot be favored for the reason that its advantages would be more than offset by the disadvantages of extravagance and political combination for the perpetration of any party in power.

### NEW SUGAR PRODUCT

"The chemical laboratory of the bureau of internal revenue discovered and developed during the year a process of producing glycerin synthetically by fermentation of sugar," says a paragraph in the annual report of the secretary of the treasury.

There was, at the formal entry of the United States into the world war, an insufficient visible supply of glycerin for making explosives. The price went up as the supply went down. There was a scurrying for fats from which to extract glycerin. Even the garbage pails were searched.

The condition in the United States was the condition in all the countries directly or indirectly involved in the war. So great was the shortage in Germany that it was said the methods of the ghoul were resorted to in the frantic effort to get glycerin supplies.

Glycerin is used in making soaps. The price of soap went up, too. In some countries soap became a rarity.

The circumstances acted as a spur to the chemists—and synthetic glycerin is the consequence.

Sugar is thus to become in a sense a weapon of war. And in future, soaps may be made with sugar-derived glycerin.

In all the years of peace glycerin was not derived from sugar. Why? Stimulus was lacking. Chemistry made great strides under the propulsive force of war.

Why not stimulate chemical development and research as liberally in peace as in war time?

### SENATOR LODGE

Oh no! Of course Senator Lodge would not be guilty of such a thing as trying to discredit the president for political purposes. Yet, unfortunately, Mr. Lodge has done so many things of that kind in the past that his honesty is questioned even when he may be quite sincere in his criticism.

Lodge might have been president of the United States years ago, had he not lent himself so readily to the schemes and subterfuges of the machine politicians. He is an able man, a public official of such wide and varied experience that his words would carry great weight with the country were it not for the fact that none but the republican leaders can tell when he is speaking his honest convictions or merely boosting some scheme of the machine, of which he is the most pliant and effective tool. We say this with a great deal of regret, as we feel that a man of Senator Lodge's learning and political experience, should be above such a prostitution of his high talents.

Had Senator Lodge been an earnest, consistent statesman and patriot, after the manner of Senator Hoar, his eminent ability might have enabled him to rise to the highest position in the gift of the people; but for a machine politician, he has done exceedingly well.

### ALLOTMENTS HELD UP

There has been much confusion over the allotment of soldier dependents and in many cases, parties who were in actual need had to wait for months for payment of just claims. This is one of the consequences of the rush with which the year was conducted. In the height of the struggle there was an insistent demand to cut the red

tape, and to some extent that was done; but the very men who made that demand are now most ready to criticize the delay in the payment of allotments. When it comes to paying out money to claimants of any kind, the officials in charge want all the necessary evidence to establish the validity of the claim, and that is where the delay comes. Some little detail is lacking, some circumstance has to be looked up, and where there are millions of such cases, with the usual number of bogus claims, the cause of the delay in the genuine claims may be realized. Now however, that the war is over, there should be less delay in clearing up this tangle of allotments that are long overdue.

### STREET CAR FARES

The new schedule of fares on the street railway is out and will cause unfavorable comment in many quarters. Many who have been riding when, but for laziness, they might walk, will now brace up and at least walk enough to keep them in good physical condition. There will be many from the suburbs who will ride on jitneys, which will undoubtedly become numerous. Families will club together to engage an auto to take them to and from their respective places of business daily. Many people who reside in the outskirts of the city will not go home to lunch as usual, feeling that the cost of carfare will make it an object for them to have their midday meal in one of the restaurants.

Just as the fare is pushed up, the number of passengers will decrease so that the radical increase of fare is not always a certain revenue producer.

It will take the legislature some time to straighten out the affairs of the trolley systems of the state. The attempt made last year never became operative. It would seem that General Pearson's remark that the road needs a nurse more than a surgeon's knife is not entirely groundless. Perhaps a combination of both, however, will furnish the right solution.

### POSTAL RATES

Before the war, there was talk of reducing letter postage to one cent. For the first time in history, our postal department not only showed no deficit, but revealed a slight profit.

The three-cent rate followed as a measure of war revenue. The one-cent chance is again remote. But we can now revert back to two. It is no longer a question of can we. It becomes one of "how may we afford to do otherwise?"

Business must expand. There are countless enterprises which conduct their affairs through the mails. There are products of wide salability whereon the margin of profit will not permit the traveling expense and salary of men on the road. But such businesses would flourish if the postal rates were not prohibitive.

### PAPER SALVAGE

With white paper costing more than ever before, would it not be well for some agency to encourage the saving of white waste paper by offering to buy it at a price that will induce the people to save their waste paper instead of burning it, as most of them do at present? White paper can be put through the mill, cleaned, and again rolled into sheets to be used as it was originally; but if only a few cents be offered for a hundred pounds of such waste paper, who is going to bother saving it?

Conservation properly should include the salvage of waste paper. It would help to keep down the cost and to lessen the demand for wood pulp. Just remember that during last year, 7,000,000 cords of wood were used in paper making.

### TELEPHONE CALLS

Night calls on long distance telephones will cost less in future, but each call will count, whether you get your party or not. In the past, when you called for a certain party and no one else would do, there was no charge if you did not get your party. In some cases, the object of the call was attained without getting the particular person wanted. The government has come to that conclusion, anyhow, and it is fully justified. Now, come on with the party line on which the listeners will be barred and all will be forgiven.

### SEEN AND HEARD

At Newark, N. J., a man has been sentenced to life for murder and to 15 years for robbery.

The patient, a lady, was coming out of the other. Her nurse was standing by and in order to help the patient out of a bedroom, said: "Hello, Mrs. K. —, 'This is your aunt, Miss Mack.' The patient with a sort of dazed, half-wakened and drowsily murmured: "Some one."

Now little groups of members of the small, dark, and being shown by the wholesale merchants supply people

not wear on next summer's hats. The numbers are accompanied by little round pink and white radishes and crabapples, with plums in dull green and berries of all shades.

### Appropriate Costume

A milk dealer of New York was consulted in his early days by a friend in the milk trade.

"I've been roped in for two tickets to a masquerade ball," the friend grumbled, "but I don't think I'll go." "Why not?" the dealer asked.

"O, such things ain't in my line," said the friend. "A milkman at a masquerade ball? No, no—most inappropriate."

"Inappropriate nothing!" said the dealer. "Put on a pair of pumps, man, and go as a waterfall!" — *Rehearsal Sunday Herald.*

### Milk as a Fabric

Although any one will concede that man cannot live by bread alone, it has been thought possible to get along rather nicely if milk were added to the diet. But it remained for two French chemists, Francis Lebrun and Raoul Desgeorges, to conceive an idea whereby milk may also be made to yield a fabric which may be converted into clothing and garments.

The curds of the milk are subjected to a chemical treatment by means of which the mass is converted into a plastic substance, which may be rolled into sheets resembling celluloid, from which buttons and other articles such as combs, umbrella handles, bracelets and even imitation leather may be made, all of which are of attractive appearance and of excellent wearing qualities.

The milk is first robbed of its fat, after which it is warmed with rennet so as to form curds. It is then parboiled and exposed to the air and then is treated with acetone to give it the required hardness, plasticity and transparency. The product may be made so soft that it can be used as a substitute for silk in the manufacture of fine underwear, or it may be made solid enough to serve as a good imitation of ivory. — *Popular Science Monthly.*

### Too Much Saluting

One of the demands made, it is said, by the revolutionists in Germany is the abolition of saluting. It is a well-known fact that the Tenth who is attached to the military does more saluting and heel clicking in a week than a man of any other persuasion does in a lifetime. If he is a civilian he doesn't click his heels, but life remains just one salute after another. These observations have to do with conditions before the war was over; what they are now one may conjecture as much as he likes.

Perhaps when the history of the war and its contributory causes is written a plethora of saluting will be found at the bottom of the whole trouble. Saluting it calculated to imbue the saluted with a sense of lofty superiority, and the saluter with one of abject subordination.

There was no common ground in Germany; one inevitably was a saluter or a saluted, and that was all there was about it. Then the smaller salutes clicked their heels at the bigger salutes and whenever a few of the soldiers got together a general clicking time was had by all.

Now the hol polloi and all the saluting and clicking didn't get the army anywhere in particular, except into a hole so deep it couldn't get out; said hol polloi further discovers that the military never was so much to salute, anyhow, and so long as there is no use of saluting humbly as before it is just as well to make a clean job of it and boss the country, including the military, for a while. This may be the true explanation of some recent events, and it may not. Anyhow, it sounds plausible. — *Newark News.*

### Bringing Back the Home

Before America entered the war not a few anxious observers thought they foresaw the breaking up of home life and the weakening of family ties in the rapidly changing social structure of the land. Country dwellers were flocking to the city and city folks crowding more and more into flats, apartments and housekeeping rooms.

We were becoming a nomadic, restless people, with a social life that scattered the family to the four winds in search of diversion. Father went to his club or "stag smoking," mother to her whist party or club committee meeting, while the children gathered in groups with others of their own age to amuse themselves as they might. Home was becoming a lodging place merely.

With husband, brother, father or son gone to the fighting front in France, the smoldering home fires have been tanned into a glow once more. Home has a new meaning when those who have been "left behind" gather in the family circle.

These letters are read from camps and battlefields and the talk is tender

and loving, and there is a proud joy in sacrifice and a tremendous happiness in the high courage of the family's soldier who writes so cheerfully of hardships and who faces peril with a high heart.

Outside diversions are curtailed for the pleasant evening at home. People have grown ashamed to talk, as they formerly did, of making money. They are also ashamed of spending money foolishly or selfishly.

After the war, if history repeats itself, the people of this land will seek life in the open fields and the countryside. Thus will come again the cottage, with vines on the porch and flowers in the garden, owned by the family dwelling within it. — *Chicago Daily News.*

### The Lilies of France

(A Love Song)  
Do you remember the night that we met?  
The pulse of its music is warming me yet.  
The touch of your hand and the light in your eyes,  
The light which shall brighten my life till I die.  
Do you remember the night that we met?  
The night whose delight I shall never forget!

You wore the lilies of France,  
I an American rose.  
Perfume to perfume they met in the dance,  
Breathing the soul of our budding romance.  
You wore the lilies of France,  
I an American rose.

Though you are absent, I vision your face,  
Though we are parted, I know your embrace.  
The warmth of your breath and the curve of your arm,  
The reel of the waltz and the melody's charm.  
The joyance of youth and the dreams of romance,  
And the deep-drawn delight of those lilies of France!

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## FORTY- EIGHT HOUR WEEK

### Bill Filed in Senate Regulating the Employment of Women and Children

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Jan. 5.—Senator John Halliwell of New Bedford has filed in the senate a bill prohibiting the employment of women and children for more than forty-eight hours in one week, and this year for the first time in his long legislative career the labor leader feels certain that the bill will pass.

Last year, it will be remembered, advocates of the forty-eight hour law consented to a compromise, as a result of which a fifty-hour bill passed the house, and lacked only one vote of passing the senate. Nearly all of the senators who voted for that bill have been returned to this year's senate, and among the newcomers are several men who will stand up and fight for a straight-out forty-eight hour bill. This year, Senator Halliwell says, there will be no compromise, and the legislature must pass a forty-eight hour bill or the republican party must again carry the stigma of having turned a deaf ear to labor.

The bill filed by Senator Halliwell is as follows:

"No child under eighteen years of age and no woman shall be employed in laboring in any factory or workshop, or in any manufacturing, mercantile, mechanical establishment, telegraph office or telephone exchange, or by any express or transportation company, more than nine hours in any one day; and in no case shall the hours of labor exceed forty-eight in a week except that in manufacturing establishments where the employment is by seasons, and the state board of labor and industries shall determine what employments are seasonal, the number of such hours in any week may exceed forty-eight, but not fifty-two, provided that the total number of such hours in any year, shall not exceed an average of forty-eight hours a week for the whole year, excluding Sundays and holidays; and if any child or woman shall be employed in more than one such place the total number of hours of such employment shall not exceed forty-eight in any one week. Every employer, except those employers hereinafter designated, shall post in a conspicuous place in every room in which such persons are employed a printed notice stating the number of hours' work required of them on each day of the week, the hours of beginning and stopping work, and the hours when the time allowed for meals begins and ends on, in the case of mercantile establishments and of establishments ex-

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To have your concentration of thought broken by an aggravating skin eruption is annoying not only to yourself, but also to others. The application of Resinol Ointment to the affected part brings welcome relief. Generally after a short treatment the trouble disappears entirely. The ointment is so nearly flesh colored that detection of its use is unlikely. On retiring at night spread thicker and wrap with a clean cloth. This should hasten results.  
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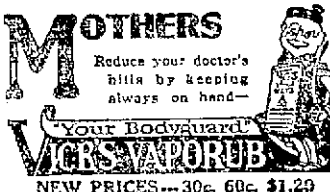
empted from the provisions of section 57 and of section 68, as amended by chapter 110 of the general acts of 1917, the time, if any, allowed for meals. The printed forms of such notices shall be provided by the state board of labor and industries, after approval by the attorney general. The employment of any such person at any time other than as stated in said printed notice shall be deemed a violation of the provisions of this section unless it appears that such employment was to make up time lost on a previous day of the same week in consequence of the stopping of machinery upon which such person was employed or dependent for employment; but no stopping of machinery for less than thirty consecutive minutes shall justify such overtime employment, nor shall such overtime employment be authorized until a written report of the day and hour of its occurrence and its duration is sent to the state board of labor and industries. HOYT.

### BE CAUTIOUS

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## Scott's Emulsion

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## MEN'S TROUSERS

For \$3.95

500 Pairs of Men's Trousers, actual values \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50, all into one lot today for one price.

Any man who is interested in good sturdy, well made trousers will find something here to suit him—in the lot are neat, dressy patterns of fancy worsteds, heavy cassimeres, substantial warm chevrons. We never have offered a better lot of trousers than this lot at this price. All sizes up to 54 waist, all for one price.

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Come without warning—travel in epidemics—dangerous and treacherous if neglected.

La grippe frequently affects the lungs and develops a persistent wearing cough, which neglected, is foreboding alike to old and young.

Foley's Honey and Tar spreads warmth and comfort, soothing the inflamed rasping surfaces, easing tightness of the chest, loosening the cough, helping to raise and discharge phlegm without exhausting effort. It is also good for tickling throat, hoarseness, bronchial coughs, night coughs and chronic coughs of elderly people.

"After having an attack of La Grippe, I felt me with a severe cough, and I tried everything. I lost in weight and got so thin that I looked as though I could never get well. I tried Foley's Honey and Tar and two bottles cured me. I am now well and back to my normal weight." P. G. Prevost, Bedford, Indiana.



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## FREDERICK BATES DEAD

Board of Health Agent Died Suddenly at His Home in Mammoth Road

Frederick A. Bates, for the past 12 years agent for the board of health and connected with the department in various capacities for 35 years, died suddenly yesterday morning at his home, 253 Mammoth road, aged 76 years and eight months. Death was due to heart trouble.

Mr. Bates' passing away was sudden, yet not wholly unexpected. He had been in failing health for the past two months as a result of a breakdown brought about by the recent influenza epidemic. He had worked night and day during the epidemic and his great interest in the health department made him negligent of his personal welfare. When the epidemic had passed in mid-November, Mr. Bates was compelled to give up his duties as agent and was confined to his home for six weeks. About three weeks ago he reappeared at the office and by due caution seemed to improve gradually. On Saturday he spoke of a slight attack of his trouble. When he arose yesterday morning he said that he felt an attack coming on. A physician was sent for but in a short time Mr. Bates had died.

Mr. Bates entered the Lowell health department in 1882 and had filled almost every position connected with the department. His offices included contagious disease inspector, superintendent of the health yard and agent. He had been agent prior to the coming of Mr. Knapp and after the latter's death in 1906 once more filled this office.

He was born in Springfield, Vt., May 2, 1842 and served in the Seventh Vermont Infantry in the Civil war. At the close of the war he came to this city. He was a member of William North lodge, A.F. and A.M., Alhambra council, M. H. North Royal Arch Chapter and Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Templars; also of Lowell lodge, Knights of Pythias; Highland-Veritas lodge, I.O.O.F. and Post 12, G.A.R. He was an attendant at the first Universalist church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Luna A. Bates; two sisters, Mrs. Belle M. Benson and Miss Hattie E. Bates, of Springfield, Vt., and one brother, Charles Bates, of Canby, Oregon.

## PERFECT PLANS FOR THE ANNUAL DINNER

Final arrangements were perfected today for the annual dinner of St. Patrick's academy alumni to be held tomorrow evening in the school hall in Suffolk street and indications point to a notable event. The attendance is expected to outstrip any of the former dinners and the array of speakers is a splendid one. John J. Flannery will preside at the after-dinner exercises and John J. Maloney will be the featured speaker. Other speakers will be Very Rev. Charles W. Lyons, S. J., president of Boston college and a noted orator; Judge William J. Day of Boston, state deputy of the Knights of Columbus; Rev. A. F. Hickey, supervisor of parochial schools in the archdiocese; Alex. Rice, commandant, C.P.S., of St. John's, Danvers; formerly of St. Patrick's school; and Mayor Thompson. Right Rev. Mr. O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church and other priests of the parish and members of the Xavierian order from far and near will be present.

## DEATHS

**DAVIDSON**—Albert O. Davidson died Saturday at his home, 52 Princeton street, in his 76th year, after a brief illness. A civil war veteran, he was a general on the staff of Gen. Greenhalgh, he was for 40 years the general manager of the Aetna mills at Waterbury, Mass. He was a member of the York club of Lowell and of the Port St. Charles club. He was a life member of the Wild Goose club of North Pittsfield, Mass., and the only surviving chapter member of Kilwinning lodge of Masons of Lowell. He leaves his wife, Helen P. Davidson.

**POTTER**—Frederick W. Potter died Saturday at his home in North Billerica, aged 10 years. He leaves his wife, Mary E., three daughters, Ruth, Helen and Grace; four sons, Stuart, Dwight, Richard and Douglas; three sisters and two brothers. He was a Spanish war veteran.

**LOVE**—Enoch Love died yesterday morning at 59 South Whipple street, aged 74 years, 3 months and 22 days. He is survived by his wife, Ellen A. Love, and one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Locke of England.

**HARVEY**—Mrs. Lizzie M. Harvey, wife of Ralph J. Harvey, the well known caterer, died yesterday morning at the Lowell lodge of the hospital, aged 44 years and 4 months. Besides her husband she leaves two daughters, Ethel and Marguerite, and one son, Stuart. Mr. Harvey's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Horace V. Kittredge, three sisters, Elvira, Irene and Elsie Kittredge, all of this city, and one brother, Eugene Kittredge, of Manchester, N. H. The body was removed to her home, 1 Russell place, by Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

**McKENNA**—James McKenna died yesterday afternoon at his home, 203 Middlesex street, after a brief illness, aged 16 years. He leaves, besides his mother, Mrs. Mary McKenna, one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth McKenna, and one brother, John McKenna.

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wife, four daughters, Minnie, Catherine, Della and Nora, and four sons, John, James, Thomas and Patrick. He was a well known member of St. Peter's parish.

**BOWERS**—James E. Bowers, aged 17 years and 3 months, died yesterday at his home, 12 Lawrence street. He was the son of Mrs. John J. Kelleher and Miss Anna Bowers, and one brother, William F. Bowers. He was a member of the Mathew Temperance institute.

**HEBERT**—J. B. Hebert of 32 Dodge street, died yesterday at his home and the body was taken to the funeral home of Joseph Albert, 171 Albee street.

**ST. DENIS**—Alfred St. Denis, aged 42 years, died Saturday at Portsmouth, N. H. He leaves his mother, Mrs. J. St. Denis, and two sisters, Mrs. Josie Lamoureux and Mrs. Emily Gaudin.

**COCHRAN**—Mrs. Minnie E. Cochran, aged 61 years, died yesterday at the Chalmers street hospital after a short illness. Mrs. Cochran was a member of Washington Commandery, 31, United Order of the Golden Cross, 31, Lowell Grange 335. The body was removed to the rooms of James W. McKenna.

**CORONIOS**—Mary Coronios, aged 32 years, died yesterday morning at her home, 549 Suffolk street. The body was removed to the chapel of Charles H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. She leaves her husband, George Coronios.

**McWILLIAMS**—Thomas McWilliams, aged 2 years, son of James and Mary McWilliams of 788 Pawtucket street, died yesterday at the Lowell corporation hospital. The body was removed to his home. Deceased leaves his father and mother, four sisters, Florence, Margaret, Dorothy and Jennie; two brothers, William and Alexander.

**McKENNA**—Miss Blanche Benoit, a well known young woman of this city, died today at her home, 95 Varney street, aged 35 years and 3 months. She leaves her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Benoit, a brother, Benjamin; four sisters, Mrs. E. Perreault of Pawtucket, R. I., and Misses Mary, Evelyn and Antoinette Benoit of this city.

**MARION**—Albert, infant son of Deoda and Rosalia Marion, aged 4 months, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 21 Albee street. Burial took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

**MARTIN**—Martin Farrell, aged 15 years, died today at the Chalmers street hospital. He was a resident of Lakeport, N. H. The body was taken to the chapel of James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

**SMITH**—Mrs. Ellen P. Smith, widow of Francis, a life long resident of St. Patrick's parish, died early this morning at her home, 35 Marsh street. She was born in this city seventy-four years ago and is survived by her son, Thomas E., a foreman on the street department; her daughter, Mary L., a grandchild; and two great-grandchildren.

**MANNING**—Miss Anna T. Manning, a most estimable young woman of the Central district and a devout member of St. Michael's church, died this morning at her home, 332 Lakeview ave. Deceased was the daughter of Mrs. Julia Sullivan Manning and her late husband, John Manning, and is survived by her mother, three sisters, Mrs. Robert Smith, and the Misses Mary and Julia Manning and one brother, Denis.

## CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to all our relatives, friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the hour of our bereavement at the death of our beloved husband and brother-in-law, Arthur W. McKenna, who also feel deeply grateful to those who sent floral offerings and spiritual benedictions.

MRS. ARTHUR W. MCKENNA,  
MR. AND MRS. GEO. QUINN,  
MR. AND MRS. JOHN CARNEY.

## FUNERALS

**KIDDER**—The private funeral of Pauline H. Kidder was held from her home in Bartlett street, Chelmsford Centre, Saturday afternoon. The services were read by Rev. Mr. O'Brien, pastor of St. Patrick's church and other priests of the parish and members of the Xavierian order from far and near will be present.

**PETTIT**—The funeral of Cecil D. Pettit was held from the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Pettit, 101 Hanks street, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Harry C. Needham and Mrs. H. Edward Edwards. The bearers were Harry Pettit, Kirkie H. Manning, John Manning and Albert L. Churchman. Burial was in the family lot in the old English cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**ANGELOPOULOS**—The funeral of A. Angelopoulos took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 from the chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity church at 2 o'clock. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery, and services were held at the grave.

**WOLAN**—The funeral of James Wolan took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 from his home, 44 Rock street. At 2 o'clock services were held at Holy Trinity church. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery. The funeral services were held under the direction of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

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**BURG** took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the rooms of Undertaker Joseph Albert, 171 Albee street, conducted at 2 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Singleton, pastor of the Lawrence Street Primitive Methodist church. The bearers were George Matthews, Thomas Thompson, William Jackson and Frederick West. Burial took place in the Boston cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Singleton.

**CESLI**—The funeral of John Cesli took place this morning from his home, 32 Stoddard street, at 10 o'clock. The services were held at the Holy Trinity church in High street at 3 o'clock by Rev. A. Ogonowski. The bearers were W. V. Kozak, W. J. W. Weikens, G. Sova, J. Job and A. Jorka. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Ogonowski. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

**SHALLIS**—The funeral services of Mrs. Margaret Eleanor Shallis were held yesterday afternoon at her home, 1045 Middlesex street at 2 o'clock. Rev. Arthur W. Shaw, assistant pastor of St. Anne's Episcopal church, officiated. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. George E. Burns. The bearers were George Rinsley, John Houghton, William Hoar and John Jackson. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Shaw. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

**BYAN**—The funeral of Mrs. Bertha S. Byan was held from the home of her brother, Warren P. Sanborn, 200 Mansie street, Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. A. C. Archibald, pastor of the First Baptist church. The body was sent to Fitzwilliam, N.H., where burial took place in the family lot yesterday. The local funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck.

**BEAUDIN**—The funeral of George M. Beaudin took place Saturday afternoon from the home of the parents, 148 High street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Annette Archambault & Sons.

**BURKE**—The funeral of Michael J. Burke took place this morning at 8:15 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9:45 o'clock, a high mass of requiem was celebrated. The body was taken to the chapel of James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

**LEBIANE**—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella A. Lebiane took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 9 o'clock, a high mass of requiem was celebrated. The body was taken to the chapel of James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

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## FUNERAL NOTICES

**BOWERS**—The funeral of James E. Bowers will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 145 Lawrence street. Funeral mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

**COCHRAN**—The funeral of Mrs. Minnie E. Cochran will take place at 8:15 o'clock Tuesday morning from the undertaking rooms of James W. McKenna, 419 Bridge street. The cortege will proceed to St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

**CORONIOS**—The funeral of Mary Coronios will take place Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. Services at Holy Trinity church at 3:30 o'clock. Burial in Westlawn cemetery. Funeral in charge of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons.

**DAVIDSON**—The funeral of Albert O. Davidson will take place Jan. 6, 1919, at the home of Horace E. Moody, 52 Princeton street, Albert Davidson, 52 Princeton street, aged 76 years and 3 months, died Saturday afternoon. The services will be held at the Lowell cemetery chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

**DAVIDSON**—The funeral of James Davidson will take place from his home, 24 Middlesex street, Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. At St. Patrick's church at 9:45 o'clock a funeral mass will be celebrated. Burial in charge of O'Connell & Fay, Undertakers.

**HASSETT**—The funeral of Rev. Edward W. Hassett will take place Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of his mother, St. Sherman street. Solemn high mass of requiem at the committal service in chapel church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

**HARVEY**—The funeral of Lizzie M. Harvey will take place Tuesday afternoon from her late home, 1 Russell place, at 2 o'clock. Appropriate services will be held. Friends invited. Burial private. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

**HARVINS**—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Harvins will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Kelley, 121 Appleton street. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

**LOVE**—The funeral of Enoch Love, aged 74 years, three months and 22 days, at his home, 59 South Whipple street, funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will be at Anderson, Mass. Automobile cortege. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

**McKENNA**—The funeral of Miss Margaret M. Shaw took place yesterday afternoon at 1:30 from the chapel of Chas. H. Molloy's Sons, Market street. Services were held at the Holy Trinity church at 2 o'clock. Burial was in Westlawn cemetery, and services were held at the grave.

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## CANTATA AT ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

Special soloists assisted the large choir of 100 voices at St. Anne's Episcopal church last night, in rendering Horatio Parker's cantata, "The Holy Child," which is one of the finest church compositions. The two choirs of boys and men, girls and women sang in chorus, while Mrs. Anne E. Hollis, soprano, and D. W. Hanson, tenor, from Boston, and Andrew A. McCarthy, baritone, of Lowell, demonstrated their ability as soloists, possessing the quality of voice needed to bring out the beautiful words and music in this anthem.

An organ prelude, "Widow's Toccata" by William C. Heller, added a significant charm to the program of sacred music. Director F. O. Blunt also contributed largely to the success of the production.

"The Annunciation," beginning "I am Gabriel, that stand in the presence of God," was the opening number in the cantata and effectively sung by the tenor soloist, Mr. Hanson. The "Cradle hymn" was rendered by the soprano soloist, Mrs. Hollis, who also sang duets with Mr. Hanson. Mr. McCarthy, baritone, sang several solos, including the offertory, "Ave Maria."

The closing number, "Hymn of Praise," was sung in rich full tones by the choruses of boys' and girls' voices.

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Lincoln's Own Yarns and Stories; regular price 75c each. January clearance ..... 49c Each

Stories and Speeches of Abraham Lincoln; regular price 75c. January clearance ..... 49c Each

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Economical Cook Book; regular price 2









## COUNT VON HERTLING

Former Imperial German  
Chancellor Dies at Ruh-  
polding, Bavaria

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 5.—(By The Associated Press.)—Count George F. von Hertling, the former Imperial German chancellor, died Saturday night at Ruhpolding, Bavaria. He had been ill for several days.

CASUALTY LISTS CARRY  
LOWELL NAMES

This afternoon's casualty list contains the name of Private Elias F. Mekaras, of this city, reported killed in action. It also contains the name of Private Willy Lariviere, reported severely wounded.

This morning's list contained two names also. Private Leo Millman and Private Edward Coughlin, each reported severely wounded.

Private Elias F. Mekaras, reported killed in action, was a member of Co. C of the 101st Regiment with which he had been serving since June, 1917. Information has been received by his relatives from the war department that he was killed October 23. He was 21 years old and was born in Greece. Before entering the national service, he was employed by the Merrimack Mfg. Co.

Private Mekaras' parents live in Greece but he has three brothers in this city. One of them living at Dummer and Little streets. Private Mekaras lived with this latter brother before joining the army.

Private Willy Lariviere, reported severely wounded, was serving in France with one of the national army units. He was 25 years old and was born in this city. His home is at 682 Lakeview avenue and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lariviere. Besides his parents he has five brothers and three sisters.

Private Leo Millman, reported severely wounded, is a member of Co. C of the 11th Machine Gun battalion. He has been in the army since April, 1917, although he is not yet 18 years old. His sister, Mrs. Norman Kydd of 30 Grove street, has received information that her brother was wounded Oct. 16. On the day following the receipt of this information, a telegram came from Private Millman himself saying that he was at Hoboken, N. J., and would be home for Christmas. He was feeling fine at that time. That is the last that has been heard from him.

Private Edward Coughlin, Co. M of the 101st Regiment is also reported severely wounded. Information to this effect had been received here previously. Private Coughlin is the son of Mrs. Mary Coughlin of 2 Simpson place and was wounded Nov. 1. He has been in the hospital since that time. He had also been slightly wounded last July but was able to return to his company. A brother, Private Francis Coughlin, is a member of Co. C of the 101st Regiment.

MAN MOURNED AS DEAD  
IS STILL LIVING

A very happy woman in the person of Mrs. John W. McHenry, 124 Appleton street, called at The Sun office this forenoon with the glad news that her husband, who it was reported, had died of diphtheria in France, October 16, is alive and well and hopes to get back home before the roses bloom again.

This very good news was received by Mrs. McHenry in a letter from her husband, dated December 5. "He was then in a hospital in France," said Mrs. McHenry, "feeling fine and hoped soon to be home."

There have been several instances of this kind in Lowell and other places where men, reported as dead, have been heard from. So many, indeed, that persons receiving notice of deaths of dear ones over there still cling to the very slender hope that some mistake has been made and that their beloved ones are still among the living.

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breakfast cereal  
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Rich to the taste  
Satisfying to the  
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EVENING  
CLOSING**

The following hardware and  
paint stores will close Monday  
evening at 6 o'clock, during Jan-  
uary, February and March:—

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BARTLETT & DOW CO.  
W. T. S. BARTLETT  
JOHN C. BENNETT  
H. C. GIRARD CO.  
N. D. LAFLAUR  
F. A. LAMOREUX  
ERVIN E. SMITH CO.  
THOMPSON HRW. CO.

## Two New Aldermen

Continued

address of the morning. In speaking, he said that the council of 1915 had worked in close harmony and that it had been a pleasure to serve with it. He had followed the suggestions of his inaugural address of a year ago most closely and this had been a cause of no little gratification. He paid particular attention to the claims department and emphasized his belief that the matter of paying the city's money for claims should be carefully in the hands of the department constituted for that purpose—the law department.

Other points of interest taken up by the mayor included the excellent record of the city during the past year closing in the matter of the support of the national government in its war activities, the opportunities of the new era of reconstruction now beginning, the suggestion that portable structures be erected on the new isolation hospital and used as a resting place for mothers and their children, the necessity for the maintenance of adequate bathing facilities and the belief that the people of the city will tolerate a high tax rate, providing results are shown in the improvement of the city.

The mayor's address in substance was as follows:

"The government of our city is entered in with the New Year, with bright and hopeful promise for a constructive and progressive administration of the city's affairs.

"Last year our city government, as well as the people, were confronted with constant war activities. Conservation was the keynote of all our actions, and the city of Lowell, in its government and in the actions of its people, paid tribute most deservedly to the character of the nation, and that tribute was accomplished only by the steadfast adherence of the people to the mandate of law and order, and by manifesting generous confidence and respect towards orderly and legally constituted government.

"The new year is approaching for our nation and Lowell must participate in the reconstruction problems that are sure to arise. The great question that now confronts us in this new era is whether we shall take advantage of the impetus that has been given our country, and its people by the marvelous things accomplished, or sit idly by, content with the laurels already won, making no progress, no advancement, no achievement, other than that which comes to us without our action, energy and activity.

"It is only by a complete determination to take advantage of the great commercial and industrial activity that is sure to confront us in the reconstruction period of the world, that our people can hope to succeed and maintain its high position among the cities of the commonwealth. No such accomplishment as this can be obtained without a well organized, conservative, painstaking and orderly government, loyal in its actions, generous in its care of the people, satisfying their necessary wants, protecting them always in the enjoyment of their lives and property and insuring their safety and happiness.

"These things can be well accomplished and become a fact, only by a community of interest between all the people and their government.

"We must keep our place in the foreground among the cities of our class. We must, therefore, as members of this government, excite in our people, a confidence among us, that will create an enthusiasm among us, to render a straightforward observance of our public office.

"Let us ever be mindful in all our official acts, that much depends upon our manner of conducting the city's affairs, whether or not the industrial life of Lowell will stand still or go forward; for a government well managed and dutifully performed will insure an active, successful accomplishment for the common good.

"We must not indulge too freely in our own opinions concerning the working out of the city's problems. Let us rather think of the people's interest and the people's point of view, by that I mean, what is best for our people, what is best for our city. This should be our watchword.

"We have assembled as members of the municipal council, are entrusted by the people of our city with the performance of a duty that involves the expenditure during the current year of almost three millions of dollars. This large sum of money shall be levied in taxes, which the people of the city shall pay into the public treasury, and which shall be devoted to the maintenance of police, fire, streets and sewer, lighting, public property, and to our public schools, as well as to the charity and health departments.

"Must Exert Effects of Economy

"To the discerning, intelligent mind, looking at the marked advance in the cost of living, not to mention the marvelous increase in the cost of materials and supplies necessary to the conduct and maintenance of the government of a city such as Lowell, it must be appreciated that as our efforts must be exerted towards economy, so we must be resolved and determined to obtain for our city the very highest competency for furthering its advancement, and the welfare, the happiness and the contentment of our people.

"We must nourish, clothe, feed and house our poor and indigent. We must care for and protect our dependent mothers, and it seems to me that never in my memory has there been a time when these problems have been of more urgent necessity of consideration than at the present.

"The cost of the 'mother's aid,' which is one of the greatest public blessings, will necessarily be increased on account of the increase and issue of the recent epidemic. The amount of money necessary to conduct this work will be greater than ever before. This will place an extra burden on the tax levy.

"In addition it must be appreciated that a new expenditure, heretofore unknown, necessary because of the erection of an isolation hospital, must be met in the budget of our city. A large sum this year will be required to maintain this hospital and that sum also must be raised by taxation.

"The recent epidemic which found all communities unprepared to care for large numbers of sick, has taught us that we should, in times of health and prosperity, prepare for emergencies.

"Portable Rest Structures

"To that end, I believe, that steps should be taken at once to build portable structures to be erected on the isolation hospital site to be ready in case of emergency and to be used as other things to afford an opportunity,

during the summer months for work-  
ing mothers with their children  
under ideal conditions. This, of course, will mean  
added expense to the city, but the  
great benefits thus derived and the in-  
creased health of our people will war-  
rant the expenditure of the money.

The pleasure derived and good  
health resulting from the opportunity  
given last summer of bathing under  
safe conditions at the temporary swim-  
ming pool on the Merrimack river,  
shows plainly that the city should  
provide and maintain adequate facil-  
ities for safe bathing. The money nec-  
essary for the consummation of this  
project would not be great. This, of  
course, would also mean a slight addi-  
tion to the tax payers, but the  
good resulting to the health and hap-  
piness of our people would be of in-  
estimable value.

It is plainly the duty of a city's  
government to use every effort to  
safeguard the health of its people.

The tax rate to be given to the peo-  
ple of our city is always and ever of  
vital importance. It is the barometer  
of our efficiency in the management  
and the administration of our public  
affairs and business.

A high tax rate with no beneficial  
results is a conspicuous mark of in-  
competent, inefficient and careless  
management of public affairs.

A tax rate even though it may be  
high, with work well done and bene-  
fits accomplished and obtained may be  
justified.

It is just as true today as ever it  
was, that the public will accept a  
somewhat high tax rate if it feels  
sure that its city government has ob-  
tained the full value of a dollar for  
every dollar expended.

It is indeed most gratifying, that  
within our city, there live men and  
women who are ever ready to make  
and offer generous sacrifices.

## The Influenza Epidemic

During the recent epidemic of in-  
fluenza that visited Lowell as well as  
many of the cities of our country, it  
was unnecessary for our government  
to urge our men and our women to  
service in alleviating the sufferings of  
the afflicted. And, therefore, do I  
take this occasion in behalf of all the  
people of Lowell and in behalf of the  
municipal council to commend and ap-  
plaud the splendid women of our city  
who devoted their time, their energy  
and their best services without pay or  
compensation in ministering to the  
sufferings of the unfortunate people  
who were stricken with the terrible  
malady of influenza.

Gentlemen of the municipal council,  
conscious as we are of the responsi-  
bilities of our public duty, appreciat-  
ing as we must the new order of  
things that will confront us with  
knowledge of the tremendous resour-  
ces of our American communities,  
which the war has revealed to us, we  
must see to the building up of our city  
in regard to the welfare, contentment  
and true happiness of the people.

I do not doubt the response that will  
come from Lowell. I do not doubt but  
that we all shall exert our best ef-  
forts, in maintaining the true pur-  
poses and policies that appeal to the  
heart and to the mind. New ties of  
endearment have been created and  
have become a part of our municipal  
and historic life.

Our soldiers who have fought and  
died for the principles that have made  
America and the idea of America, a  
watchword for the peoples of the  
world, and keeping that appeal to the  
heart and to the mind, we are assured  
with confidence that insofar as Lowell  
is concerned, that they have not fought  
in vain.

Let us then with resolution deter-  
mine to emulate the best principles of  
patriotism, in the performance of our  
civic obligations.

## Consistencies Appointed

Following the mayor's address the  
council once more got down to busi-  
ness and the next business taken up  
was the election of the following con-  
sistencies:

Bernard F. Gately,  
Daniel Emery,  
William A. Arnold,  
Michael H. Hoar,  
Jean L. Brault,  
John J. McManus,  
William J. Cormier,  
Henry O. Girard,  
Ezra J. Manser,  
William L. Crowley,  
Alexander Duncan,  
Harry Demarais,  
John E. Regan,  
Michael J. Dowd,  
Nicholas D. Spyroulouos,  
Alexander Olechivovitz,  
John H. Kaceretz,  
William P. Boyle.

A large number of weighers of hay,  
grain and other articles were also  
appointed.

## Jurors Drawn

The following jurors were drawn by  
Commissioner Donnelly to serve at the  
session of superior court to be held in  
Cambridge on March from today:

Michael O'Hagan, 29 Albion, opera-  
tive.

David Bird, 12 Rogers, overseer.

William H. Burke, 11 Warnock, op-  
erative.

Arthur J. Brunelle, 342 Moody, clerk.

Frederick Theriault, 259 White, ma-  
chinist.

Patrick J. Ryan, 1 Coward court,  
clerk.

## Expression of Sympathy

Mayor Thompson moved that the  
council instruct the city clerk to ex-  
tend to the wife of Frederick A. Bates,  
late agent of the board of health, the  
deepest sympathy of the body in her  
bereavement and it was so voted. The  
mayor characterized Mr. Bates as one  
of the city's most efficient employees  
and one of the most beloved men that  
ever served at city hall.

On motion of Commissioner Morse it  
was voted to adjourn at 10:15 until 10  
o'clock Tuesday morning.

## INAUGURAL BISHOPS

Commissioner Murphy was presented  
a large and handsome basket of orna-  
ments, the gift of the Broadway So-  
cial & Athletic club, of which Mr.  
Murphy is a prominent member.

Among those who witnessed the sim-  
ple ceremony were the following: Chief  
Edward E. Saunders, Warren P. Riordan,  
Lieut. Martin Connors, Supt. Hugh  
J. Molloy, Representative Thomas J.  
Corbett, Representative Henry Ashin,  
John H. Hall, Francis J. O'Hare, Thoma-  
sine J. O'Sullivan, Francis A. War-  
neck, Abel R. Campbell, Michael A.  
Lee and many others.

## POLICE COURT NEWS

Soldier Charged With At-  
tempted Larceny of Auto  
—Coat Thieves Sentenced

Edward M. Casella, a Camp Devens  
doughboy who claimed to be from  
Missouri, was charged in police court  
this morning with the attempted  
larceny of an automobile, valued at  
\$1350, the property of James E.  
Fleming. After hearing the evidence  
the court decided to continue the case  
until tomorrow morning, and in the  
meantime the authorities at the cam-  
pment will be notified. Ball was set  
at \$1000.

Mr. Fleming told the court that he  
had left the machine near the Warren  
street firehouse last Saturday night,  
and that while talking with the men  
inside was informed that a soldier was  
attempting to steal his car. He ran  
out and found Casella in the driver's  
seat, trying to start the motor.  
Angus H. McDonald of the Alaska  
district police happened along at about  
that time, and it was decided that  
the best thing to do would be to place  
Casella under arrest.

Defendant, who, according to his  
story, is a member of the regular  
army, stated that he did not remember  
anything about the affair, as he was  
drunk at the time. He had not been  
away from camp for a month, he  
stated, and after doing away with a  
quart and a half of strong fire water  
that night, was in no condition to  
know what he was about.

## Larceny of Overcoats

Arthur Marchand and Wallace A.  
Wells were charged with the larceny  
of two overcoats, valued at \$25 and  
\$8 each, belonging to Alfred Fazzette  
and Joseph Roy. Roy and Fazzette  
both testified that they were playing  
pool last Saturday night in a pool  
room on Moody street, and that the  
two defendants were hanging around  
the place. They noticed that their  
coats had disappeared, and also that  
Marchand and Wells were no longer  
in the room. The officer testified to  
having arrested the pair, and finding  
the missing garments in a suitcase  
in their room.

The defendants told identical stories,  
the only variation being that each  
claimed he had been deluded by the  
other. Marchand stated that Wells  
had claimed to be the owner of the  
coats, and Wells came back by ac-  
cusing Marchand of having stated  
that he had both bought and paid for  
them. They each drew a three  
month's assignment in jail.

## Other Offenders

Richard Lannan was found guilty of  
using profane language and was or-  
dered to pay a fine of \$5.

The case of John J. Droney was  
called on continuance, charged with  
illegal keeping of liquor. The case  
was again continued, this time for one  
week, and in the matter of the for-  
feiture of liquor, it was ordered re-  
turned to the claimant, Droney.

Arthur A. Smith was charged with  
carrying a pistol without a permit,  
and the case continued until Sat-  
urday.

Louis Wentworth pleaded guilty to  
the larceny of six files and one screw-  
driver, the property of the F. W.  
Woolworth Co. He was given a two  
month's sentence to jail.

Several members of the anti-tem-  
perance delegation paid small fines,  
and the probation officer issued 12  
releases.

## INFANT MORTALITY

The infant mortality report for the  
week ending Dec. 28, received at the  
office of the board of health today,  
shows Lowell in second place with a  
rate of 16.3. Providence is high with  
15.8. Richmond was third with 14.7  
and Fall River fourth, 13.7. Spokane  
was low, not having a single death of  
a child under one year of age. The  
average was 9.5.

Appended to the weekly report is a  
summary for the entire year of 1918  
and this shows Lowell to be in sec-  
ond place with a rate of 21.2. There  
were 523 deaths of children under one  
year of age in the year just closing.  
Fall River had the highest infant mor-  
tality rate for the year, 22.3.

Trade in Lowell with Sun advertise-  
ments and you will save money on your  
purchases.

## NAMES OMITTED

Through an unintentional error, the  
names of Sergt. George Brick and  
Private Bernard L. Boisvert, were  
omitted from the roll of honor of Low-  
ell men who died in the national ser-  
vice during the great war as published  
in Saturday's editions of The Sun.

Sergt. Brick was a member of Co. C  
of the 101st Regiment and was killed  
in action October 11.

Private Boisvert was a member of  
Co. G of the 104th Regiment and was  
killed October 2.

## SON OF EX-KAISER

## GOES TO WORK

PARIS, Jan. 6.—The fourth son of  
William II, Hohenzollern, the former  
Prince August Wilhelm, has taken a  
situation with a widely known German  
automobile firm, according to a Berlin  
dispatch by way of Bern, printed in  
the Matin today.

## VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

There is an excellent opportunity  
for Lowell young men to take up  
courses in machinery, automobile re-  
pairing and electricity at the evening

CRUELITIES HAVE  
NO PARALLEL

Names of Vilna, Kiev and  
Lemberg Written in Blood  
Red Letter

Terrible Atrocities Commit-  
ted by Bolsheviks, Aided  
by Germans

WARSAW, Saturday, Jan. 4.—(By  
the Associated Press.)—The names of  
Vilna, Lemberg and Kiev are being  
written in blood red letters along the  
western frontier of Russia, and scores  
of smaller cities, towns and estates  
lying between the cities also are being  
destroyed by the bolsheviks. Accord-  
ing to trustworthy reports reaching  
Warsaw, they are adding tortures of  
the dark ages to the customary hor-  
rors of gerilla warfare.

The Poles are making a gallant de-  
fense of Lemberg with limited means,  
but the bolsheviks, aided by  
German tanks and German gunners,  
slowly are destroying the city. The  
besiegers are estimated to number 50,-  
000, commanded by former Premier  
Holubowicz of the Ukraine, who also  
was chairman of the Ukrainian peace  
delegation at Brest-Litovsk. The  
Ukrainians threaten the water and  
electric supplies of the city, while the  
Poles are becoming very scarce. Only a few  
of the civilian population have been  
able to escape from the city owing to  
the poor railway service.

The Polish troops are being aided  
in the defense of the city by many  
citizens of Lemberg, including girls  
and boys. In November the ottomans  
aided the Poles in saving the city  
from the Ukrainians.

The archbishop of Lemberg is au-  
thority for the statement that girls  
taken prisoners by the besiegers are  
outraged and tortured. He says that  
the cruelties of the bolsheviks have  
no parallel in modern history.

## DISCUSS WELFARE WORK

The third in a series of welfare  
work discussions will be held tomor-  
row night at 8 o'clock at the Inter-  
national Institute, 25 Palmer street.  
Lieut. David Petrie will address the  
meeting on the subject, "What the  
Red Squad Should Be Called. Volun-  
teers to Assist in 'Follow-up Work.'"  
The social workers in charge of these  
meetings express themselves very well  
pleased with the large attendance  
and the interest which has thus far  
been manifested among Lowell girls  
and women. If the class continues to  
grow they will make arrangements  
for a large hall. Anyone interested in  
social service or welfare work is in-  
vited to attend.

## ANNUAL MILITARY BALL

The officers of the O.M.I. Cadets will  
meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight to com-  
plete arrangements for the annual  
military ball to be held in Associate  
hall on Wednesday evening. During  
the past month the officers and mem-  
bers of the cadets, under the direction  
of Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O.M.I.,  
chaplain and Col. Francis Ralls, have  
been busy on the plans for the affair,  
and they feel confident that the coming  
party will be one of the most success-  
ful in the history of the organization.

Representatives of many semi-mil-  
itary organizations from out of town  
will attend and a number of former  
cadets who have served in the army  
and navy will also be present. The  
grand march will be a very beautiful  
spectacle, and all other features will  
be elaborately staged. Broderick's or-  
chestra will furnish music.

## HIGH SCHOOL HALL DANCE

A large attendance marked the third  
dancing party in the series of dances  
which are being held on Saturday night  
at the high school hall under the aus-  
pices of the war camp community ser-  
vice. The army and navy were well  
represented and about 350 couples en-  
joyed a very pleasant evening. That  
each and every one present might en-  
joy the fun, several of the chaparrones  
held dancing classes just outside the  
large hall, and many boys in khaki  
kept persistently at the first lesson,  
and before the close of the evening  
some of the bravest of them made  
their first appearance on the floor. This  
feature was introduced at the sugges-  
tion of Miss S. A. Washburn of New  
York, and was successfully carried out  
under the direction of Mrs. J. J. Ker-  
win. Many of the men had seen ac-  
tive service across the water, as was  
evident from the overseas stripes.

The patronesses of the evening were  
Mrs. P. C. Weld, Mrs. J. T. Masterson,  
Miss Alice T. McCarthy, Miss Rose  
Dowd, Mrs. J. J. Kerwin, Mrs. Win-  
fred MacBryne and Mrs. Thomas J.  
McCrann.

## NEW BEDFORD'S MAYOR

Mayor Ashley of New Bedford has  
written Mayor Thompson requesting  
him to forward data concerning the  
wages paid members of the police,  
school and fire departments in this  
city. New Bedford wishes to compare  
its own scale of wages with those of  
other cities of the country. The re-  
quested information was forwarded  
Mayor Ashley today.

## Coup d'Etat Takes Place in Berlin

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 6.—A coup d'etat took place in Berlin yester-  
day, it is believed here, on the basis of advices from Berlin today.  
There had been intimations that an overturn of some sort in the  
German capital was expected Saturday.  
A telegram from Berlin today says that the office of the Wolff  
bureau, the semi-official news agency, was occupied Sunday evening,  
but it does not state by whom it was seized.

## Poles Storm Airdrome at Lawica

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 6.—The airdrome at Lawica, near the city of  
Posen, was stormed on Sunday by Polish troops, according to a de-  
spatch from Posen, the German garrison and all the airplanes were  
captured after a fight.

## Approve \$100,000,000 Famine Fund

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—President Wilson's request that congress  
provide \$100,000,000 for relief work in Europe, outside of Germany,  
was approved today by the house appropriations committee. Chairman  
Sherley announced he would report a bill tomorrow and seek its prompt  
passage.

Vocational school, according to Prin-  
cipal Thomas F. Fisher. The evening  
classes are being reorganized and re-  
gistration sessions will be held every  
evening this week from 7:30 to 9  
o'clock. Only men who are employed  
at one of the trades mentioned during  
the day are eligible to take the courses  
in the evening.

Special instruction in any one phase  
of any of the trades mentioned may  
be obtained at the vocational school.  
Although the classes are limited there  
are still a number of vacancies and  
as soon as there are filled a waiting  
list will be established.

LOWELL MAN WOULDN'T  
SHOW WAR CROSS

One of the 7000 men to arrive in  
New York yesterday from France was  
Lieut. Alfred L. Gustafson, of 15 C  
street, this city. He came back on the  
transport Santa Teresa wearing leather  
puttees and gold bars and some-  
thing pinned on his blouse that he  
wouldn't show.

Six brave westerners of the Sun-  
shine division—officers—grabbed him  
and ripped open his overcoat.  
"Give up, Gus. A war cross ain't  
something to be ashamed of," they  
whispered at him, western style, so  
you could hear them two decks away.

Gus didn't give up and said nothing  
had happened, only that his gun crew  
had started in at Seicheprey shooting  
at Germans 4500 meters away and kept  
on shooting at them until the range  
was down to 700 yards and couldn't  
be brought any lower. The Germans  
had got too close and the ammunition  
was all gone.

"So we all oiled up our revolvers and  
reckoned we'd be sweeping streets in  
Berlin a week later as soon as our pi-  
riol harage was over. And then along  
came the 104th up behind us and the  
Germans didn't get to us. So how in  
Hannah was there anything we did to  
get cited for? It was the doughboys.

"We lost only one man in our gun  
crew, and that was at Chateau-Thierry.  
This transport brought 73 officers  
and 1569 men. The other troops  
arriving were the Agamemnon, New  
Amsterdam, Virginia, Heredia and the  
Henderson, bringing approximately  
3500 soldiers, many of them wounded.

## EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Stephen P. Monahan, candidate for  
school committee at the recent city  
election, has filed his expense account  
with City Clerk Flynn. He spent  
\$12.50.

## ANDOVER STREET LINE

City Solicitor William D. Regan has  
received the following letter from H.  
P. Fritch, superintendent of the traf-  
fic department of the Bay State Street  
Railway Co., assuring him that it is  
the intention of the company to try  
out hourly running time on the An-  
dover street line in this city:

January 4, 1919.

Mr. William D. Regan, City Solicitor,  
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Confirming conversation of Tuesday,  
Dec. 31, it is the receiver's intention  
to try out hourly service on the An-  
dover street route. Gen. Pearson has  
already been so informed, he taking  
this matter up as a representative of  
Tewksbury.

Very truly yours, FRITCH.

Superintendent of Traffic Dept.

The local evening newspaper is the  
paper that reaches the home when the  
whole family is there to read it. "The  
Sun fills this field in Lowell."

## Bulletin From War Work Headquarters

119 Merrimack Street Telephone 5923

FREEDOM FOR SMALL NATIONS  
For the Independence of Armenia

This is now the time for all Christians and free men to speak out.  
The day is fixed—January 12th.  
The hour is set—Sunday, 3 p. m.  
The place—The Lowell Armory, Westford street.

WEND YOUR WAY to the Mass Meeting, hear the speakers, and pass  
the resolution. As a Christian, he counted as one as wishing to see  
this question of the Christians and the Armenians settled right at the Peace Conference.

Be There—At the Armory, Sunday  
Afternoon, Jan. 12, at 3 P. M.

January 12th is Armenian Sunday, and January 12th is the  
Armenians' New Year's Day. Help them to start it going right.